

### JUDGE CARTER WAS GUEST OF HONOR AT BRILLIANT BANQUET

JUDGE FARRAND WAS HOST AT A  
GATHERING AT GRAND  
DETOUR.

### GALAXY OF TALENT WAS PRESENT

Jurist of State and National Repu-  
tation Gathered With Local  
Attorneys.

Judge R. S. Farrand of Dixon, can-  
didate for re-election to the circuit  
judgeship of this district, entertained  
a company of seventy-five lawyers and  
noted jurists at a banquet at the Col-  
onial Inn at Grand Detour last even-  
ing in honor of Judge O. N. Carter of  
Chicago. The gathering contained  
men of statewide and even nation-  
wide note, among those of consider-  
able fame being Judges Orrin N. Car-  
ter and James W. Cartwright of the  
supreme court of Illinois, Col. Frank  
O. Lowden, a probable candidate for  
governor of Illinois, Judge James S.  
Baume of the appellate court of the  
Second District of Illinois, and Circuit  
Judges R. S. Farrand and O. E. Heard.  
Many other county judges, lawyers  
and politicians were present, and the  
gathering was one which is seldom  
equalled here in the quantity of keen  
legal talent and brilliant minds.

The banquet, which was served in  
the open air addition to the dining  
room at the Colonial, was one of  
many courses of deliciously prepared  
food.

Because of the fact that Judge Car-  
ter was slated to deliver the address  
of the evening at the commencement  
exercises of the nurses' graduating  
class of the local nurses' training  
school at the Family theatre in Dixon  
at 8 o'clock last evening, it was nec-  
essary to curtail the festivities at  
Grand Detour and the party returned  
to Dixon immediately after the din-  
ner, after listening to a few very  
brief remarks from Colonel Frank O.  
Lowden, Judge James W. Cartwright  
and Judge Orrin N. Carter, who were  
called upon by Judge Farrand. The  
affair was especially enjoyable and  
did credit to the genial and much  
loved host, Judge Farrand.

Those present at the banquet were:  
Judges Carter and Cartwright, Judge  
James S. Baume of the appellate  
court of the second district, Judge R.  
S. Farrand and Judge O. E. Heard of  
the circuit court, Col. F. O. Lowden,  
County Judge John B. Crabtree of  
Lee county, County Judge Frank E.  
Reed of Ogle county, Mayor W. B. Mc  
Henry of Rochelle, James W. Watts  
of the state board of law examiners,  
Rep. W. L. Leech of Amboy, States  
Attorney Harry Edwards of Lee county,  
States Attorney W. J. Emerson of  
Ogle county, Sheriff R. R. Phillips of  
Lee county, Deputy Sheriff Frank  
Schoenholz of Lee county, Republican  
State Central Committeeman Delos  
W. Baxter of Rochelle, Henry Dement  
former secretary of state and warden

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### TURKS REPULSED IN ALL ASSAULTS

#### WAR SUMMARY

(The Associated Press)  
Heavy fighting is in progress on  
the western and French-Belgian  
front.

#### WIRELESS CRIPPLED

Electric trouble of static nature  
has practically put the U. S. Ger-  
many wireless transmission (on which  
Germany has depended to send out  
her official reports out of business,  
therefore no official German news  
can be received.

#### MANY TURKS INJURED

Athens says that thousands of  
wounded Turks, the pick of the Otto-  
man army, are arriving in Constanti-  
nople, and that all the Turk assaults  
have been repulsed by the allies.

#### DUTCH HAVE PROTESTED

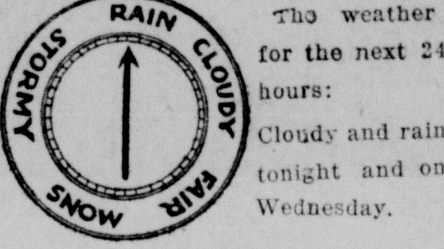
The government of the Netherlands  
has made representations to Ger-  
many on the sinking of the *usitania*.

#### TOBACCO INTERESTS

The property of the British Amer-  
ican Tobacco Co., in Germany has  
been placed under German supervi-  
sion. James B. Duke of New York is  
the president of the company, which  
is capitalized at \$5,000,000.

### THE WEATHER

Telegraph Barometer.  
Tuesday, May 25, 1915.



Local Temperatures.	Max.	Min.	Pre.
Sunday . . . . .	66	50	.3
Monday . . . . .	75	50	

### Three Nurses Were Given Diplomas At Graduation Exercise

Judge O. N. Carter Of Chicago  
Made Address Mon-  
Evening

The commencement exercises of  
the class of 1915 of the Dixon School  
for Nurses were held at the Family  
theater Monday evening and a large  
crowd enjoyed the program which  
marked the graduation of Misses  
Miriam Lucille Hipple, Katherine Ce-  
cilia Harkins and Persis Marie Keith.  
The following program was given:  
Invocation—Rev. A. J. Holland  
Selection—The Ives Trio, Jose-  
phine, John and Charles Ives  
a. Lotus Flower—Schuman  
b. Blow, Breezes Blow—Trozer  
Mrs. E. A. Sickels, Mrs. Lee Read, T.  
B. Kennedy, E. B. Raymond  
Address—Judge O. N. Carter  
Selection—F. B. Kennedy  
Presentation of Diplomas—Mrs. Z.  
W. Moss, President of the Training  
school.  
Presentation of Class Pins, Mrs.  
D. E. Raymond, President of Hospi-  
tal Board.  
Gypsy Life, (Schuman)—Mrs. E.  
A. Sickels, Mrs. Read, Mr. Kennedy  
Mr. Raymond.  
Music—The Ives Trio  
Judge Carter's Address  
The feature of the evening was  
Judge Carter's address, which was  
delivered extemporaneously. He com-  
mented upon the fact that nursing  
always had been, and undoubtedly  
always would be the vocation of wom-  
en, and while he did not mean to dis-  
parage the work done by our moth-  
ers and sisters of an earlier day, he  
believed it was gratifying to know  
that in addition to their sympathy  
and devotion the modern nurse pos-  
sessed training which their mothers  
could not have received in their time.  
He urged the graduates to note  
their aims and ideals high and called  
their attention to the life of Florence  
Nightingale, the greatest nurse of all  
time.  
He stated that he was inclined to  
take an optimistic view of life and  
that he believed the world was grow-  
ing better in spite of our seemingly  
great difficulties, and that this in a  
large measure was due to the elimi-  
nation of disease through the efforts  
of trained nurses and physicians.  
Judge Carter in conclusion declared  
that a life of service should be the  
aim of all, and that such lives as  
were lived by our present day nurses,  
were the highest examples of courage  
and heroism.

### ROCKFORD ATHLETICS TO PLAY TWO GAMES

#### EAST AMATEUR TEAM TO MEET DIXON ON SUNDAY AND MONDAY

The management of the Dixon  
baseball team has booked two games  
with the Rockford Athletics, to be  
played next Sunday and Monday at  
Lincoln park. The Athletics have  
been playing good ball and will no  
doubt make the local team go some  
to defeat them. The line-up of the  
Dixon team is expected to be about  
the same as in the game of a week  
ago Sunday.

#### PLOW SHOPS HAVE REOPENED

The Grand Detour Plow Shops re-  
sumed work yesterday and have a  
nice line of work ahead to get out.  
Some of the employees are in favor of  
having a day off on Saturday but  
nothing definite has been done re-  
garding the matter by the company.

### DIXON HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION; THIRTY WILL GET DIPLOMAS

EXERCISES WILL BE HELD AT  
FAMILY THEATRE WEDNES-  
DAY EVENING.

### NORTH DIXON SCHOOL JUNE 9

Class of Eleven Will Graduate at the  
Methodist Church at That  
Time.

The 50th annual commencement of  
the Dixon high school will be held at  
the Family theatre Wednesday even-  
ing, the program to begin at 8:15.  
Admission is free and the public is  
invited. A splendid program will be  
presented by the young graduates, to  
include music, theses and chemical  
experiments.

The graduates are: Hobart Adams,  
Josephine Altman, Myrtle Anderson,  
Donald Barry, Esther Baughman,  
Mary Bremer, Margaret Dugke, Emily  
Clark, Bernice DeFrais, Mahlon Dol-  
lahan, Ethel Dykeman, Charles Green,  
Dorothy Gonnerman, Edward Haley,  
Halena Hazelrigg, Arthur Hedley,  
Chas. Klapprodt, Mary Keenan, Mary  
Morrison, Charles Kling, Horace Ott,  
Elizabeth Owens, Grace Sarwine, Ur-  
cell Senneff, Vera Steacy, Marjorie  
Slothower, Clark Schell, Ray Traber,  
Bernice Thoma and William Webster.

North Dixon Commencement.  
The commencement exercises of the  
North Dixon high school will be held  
at the Methodist church Wednesday  
evening, June 9, at 8 o'clock, when  
the following young people will re-  
ceive diplomas:

Harris L. Ackert, Elizabeth Kath-  
erine Barge, Ruth G. Chilverton, Mary  
Ellen Craig, Robert E. Fulton Jr.,  
Edward T. Howell, Mary A. Man-  
ahan, Grace Lucille Mason, Frances E.  
Patrick, R. Belle Read and Harriet K.  
Schumm.

### GERMANY ASKS DELAY IN NOTE

REPORTS ARE THAT REPLY WILL  
SATISFY AMERICAN  
OPINION.

(Associated Press)  
Amsterdam, May 25.—Germany  
has asked for further delay of a week  
in sending a reply to the *Lusitania*  
note. It is stated in Berlin that the  
note will be very friendly, that every-  
thing possible will be done to avert  
trouble and that German submarines  
will be instructed to act accordingly,  
although on the principle that Ger-  
many can not openly stop her subma-  
rine warfare.

Washington, May 25.—In German  
quarters it is said that Germany's re-  
ply to the *Lusitania* note will satisfy  
American public opinion.

### LEONARD MUST ANSWER COURT

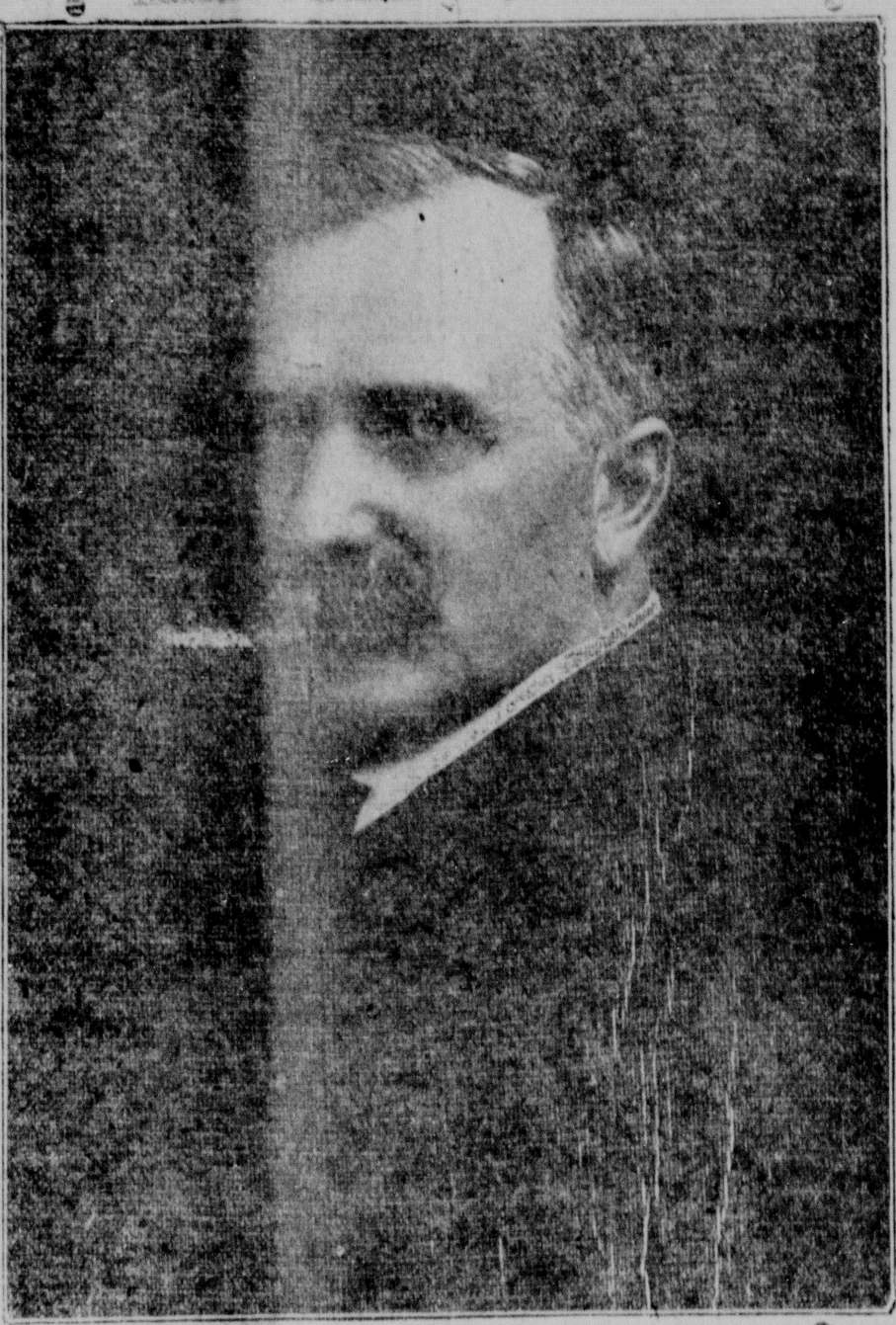
INFORMATION FILED AGAINST  
HARMON SALOON MAN  
TODAY.

On complaint of Mrs. Catherine  
Mongoven of Harmon, mother of Leo  
Mongoven of that place who was ar-  
rested a fine before Justice Hanneken  
yesterday on charge of disorderly con-  
duct, States Attorney Edwards today  
filed information in the county court  
against Daniel D. Leonard of Harmon  
on two charges of keeping a tippling  
house open on Sunday. The case will  
be called at his law term of county  
court which convenes Monday. The  
offense is punishable by a fine of not  
to exceed \$200 on each charge.

### CAN RETAIN THEIR FERRYBOATS

(The Associated Press)  
Washington, May 25.—The Inter-  
state Commerce Commission today  
ruled that the Perle Marquette, the  
Bessemer and Lake Erie and Ann  
Arbor railroads could retain their  
ferryboats on the lakes under the  
Panama Canal act.

HON. RICHARD S. FARRAND



Circuit Judge of Fifteenth Judicial District, who is a candidate for re-  
election without opposition, and who Monday evening was host at a ban-  
quet given at Grand Detour to the attorneys and newspaper men of this vic-  
inity in honor of Judge Orrin N. Carter of Cook county.

### Carnival Outfit Equals That Of Many Circuses

Millers' Shows Surprise Many  
By Size Of Transporta-  
tion Outfit

The A. B. Miller Carnival company  
did not arrive in Dixon until 7:45 p.  
m. Monday from Rock Island. Due to  
accidents in loading the train of 25  
cars they did not leave Rock Island  
until 1 p. m. and it was after 4 p. m.  
before the Milwaukee road turned the  
train over to the Northwestern at  
Fulton. All the cars had to be in-  
spected before the Northwestern would ac-  
cept the train and it was nearly 6 p.  
m. when the train left Fulton.

A large crowd was attracted to  
Dementtown after supper under the im-  
pression that the carnival had arrived  
and many remained until after the  
train pulled in. The company band  
rendered an hour's concert on the  
street.

No attempt was made to unload  
last night and at daylight this morn-  
ing the men were at work at the Sev-  
enth street crossing preparing to re-  
move the wagons from the cars. The  
company has 14 flat cars, six cars of  
stock and five coaches and carries an  
outfit equal to many of the smaller  
circuses.

### COMPTON HIGH HERE SATURDAY AFTERNOON

NORTH DIXON TEAM WILL MEET  
BOYS WHO BEAT THEM EAR-  
LY IN SEASON

Supporters of the North Dixon  
high school base ball team are look-  
ing forward to the best game of the  
schedule Saturday afternoon when  
the North Dixon boys meet the unde-  
feated Compton high school team at  
Lincoln park. Early in the season  
Dixon journeyed to Compton for a  
contest and were defeated 2 to 2, the  
Dixon team putting up one of the  
poorest games they have played all  
season. The recent games against  
DeKalb, however, show that Capt.  
Cannon's lads have hit their stride and  
will be there at every stage of the  
Compton game.

### CASE CONTINUED TILL JUNE 3

The hearing of the case of Joe  
Schnellbach on the charge of disorderly  
conduct has been continued be-  
fore Justice G. W. Hill to Thursday  
morning, June 3.

### TWENTY - ONE MEN OF FAMOUS REGIMENT HERE FOR REUNION

THIRTEENTH ILLINOIS VOLUN-  
TEER INFANTRY IN ITS AN-  
NUAL GATHERING.

### HOLD CAMP FIRE THIS EVENING

Ranks of the Famous Old Fighting  
Unit Are Dwindling  
Rapidly.

Twenty-one of the members of the  
old Thirteenth Ill. Vol. Inf. gathered  
in Dixon today to attend the 54th an-  
nual reunion of the regiment—one  
less than attended last year. This  
morning was devoted to registration,  
this afternoon a business session was  
held at the G. A. R. hall and a ban-  
quet and camp fire this evening will  
complete the day. Those in attendance  
at noon were:

Company A—C. W. Snyder, New  
York City; Jed Shaw, Hastings-on-  
Hudson, N. Y.; H. D. Dement, Wil-  
metta, Ill.; C. H. Noble and W. G.  
McGinnis, Dixon.

Company B—A. W. Adams, Al-  
mond, Wis.; Andrew Haberer and  
Gordon M. Pierce, Sterling.

Company C—O. B. Wyman, Eagle  
Grove, Ia.; W. E. Morse, East Peo-  
ria, Ill.; D. O. Fairchild, West Brook-  
lyn; J. E. Gray, Lee Center; James  
Christance and Alex. Hamilton, Am-  
boy; Henry Wyman "adopted" Free-  
port.

Company D—L. S. Shafer, Rapid  
City, Ill.; W. M. Payne, Rock Island,  
Ill.

Company F—R. M. Hevener, Pitts-  
burgh, Pa. (Home address, 6731 Mc-  
Pherson St.).

Company G—P. C. Carter, Fulton,  
Ill.; J. B. Lowery, Danville, Ill.

Company I—J. J. Everest, Chicago.

Deaths Within Year.  
Since the last reunion a year ago  
there have been reported to Secretary  
Hevener seven deaths as follows: Co.  
A, H. C. Palmer, Albert Kelley, W.  
H. Woodruff; Co. K, Wm. I. Walk-  
er; Co. G, Geo. W. Knowles, Benj. A.  
Frye; Co. K, Wm. Potter.

### DIXON LADY'S FATHER IS DEAD

Mrs. Wm. Riddellbaugh yesterday  
received notice of the death of her  
father, Samuel Robb of Monroe, Wis.,  
and left last evening to attend the  
funeral. Her husband will leave this  
evening.

A. J. Larson of Steward was here  
Monday.

# ITALIAN ARMY IN POSSESSION OF FOUR TOWNS

### GERMANY NOW AT WAR WITH ITALY SAYS NEW REPORT

BERLIN HAS MADE FORMAL DEC-  
laration OF HOSTILITIES  
ON ITALY.

### NO NEWSPAPER COMMENTS MADE

People Regard Italy's Action as the  
Height of Treason,  
However.

Berlin, May 25.—(Via London.)—  
Germany has formally declared war  
against Italy, according to the Wolff  
agency, regarded as a semi-official  
government organ. Prince Von Bue-  
low, German ambassador to Italy, has  
been recalled although no arrange-  
ments have been made for the safe  
conduct of the Italian ambassador to  
Germany.

There is no press comment upon  
the declaration by Italy, as no news-  
papers were published, owing to the  
Whitsuntide holiday.

Vienna, May 25.—(Via Berlin and  
Amsterdam.)—Italy has struck her  
first blow against Austria by throw-  
ing a force of cavalry across the bor-  
der near Straas, in the Austrian Ty-  
rol, according to an official statement.  
The war office also announces that  
minor engagements took place in the  
Tyrol and on the Adriatic coast of  
Italy.

Rome, May 25.—Austria-Hungary  
opened hostilities against Italy by a  
combined aerial and naval attack on  
several ports of the Adriatic coast,  
from Venice as far south as Barletta,  
north of Bari, a total distance of  
about 255 miles. The attack failed,  
according to an official announcement  
made by the Italian government, the  
Austrian forces being forced to with-  
draw.

Austrian aeroplanes, flying from  
Pola, the naval base, during the night  
appeared over Venice shortly after 4  
o'clock in the morning and attempted  
to hurl bombs on the arsenal. Anti-  
aircraft guns at the forts guarding  
Venice blazed away at the invaders,  
while Italian airmen and a dirigible  
flying over the Adriatic came to the  
rescue. The Austrians were driven  
off.

At about the same time other Aus-  
trian air craft attacked the ports of  
Porto Corfui, sixty miles south of  
Venice; Ancona, eighty miles farther  
south, and Gesh, fourteen miles below  
Ancona. Austrian torpedo boats and  
a small scout steamer made an attack  
on Barletta, about thirty-three miles  
north of Bari, and a slight naval en-  
gagement followed, the Italian vessels  
forcing the Austrians to flee to the  
northward.

Austrians Flee Frontier.  
Several frontier clashes between  
Italian and Austrian troops are re-  
ported from the Trentino border. A  
dispatch from Milan says news has  
been received there that the Austri-  
ans are everywhere falling back from  
the frontier and assuming the defensive.  
Dozens of bridges in the border  
districts have been dynamited.

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### SOUTH DIXON AND ALTO BOOKS ARE IN

ASSESSOR'S RETURNS SHOW IN-  
CREASE IN VALUE OF THE  
REAL ESTATE.

Two more assessors have returned  
books to Supervisor of Assessments  
J. E. Moyer. A. J. Larson of Alto  
township and Frank Siefkin of South  
Dixon made their returns yesterday.  
Nearly all the books show an increase  
in the assessment over that of pre-  
vious years. There appears to have  
been more grain on hand this spring  
than a year ago while in localities  
where the foot and mouth disease got  
a foothold the amount of stock is low-  
er than in previous years.

### ROME ANNOUNCES OCCUPATION OF SOME FRONTIER TERRITORY

ITALIAN DESTROYER BOMBARD-  
ED AUSTRIAN PORT WITH  
DAMAGE.

### CAPTURED SOME PRISONERS

Italian Loss Is Said To Be One Dead  
Warship Has Been  
Sighted.

(Associated Press)  
Rome officially announced today  
that Italy has invaded Austria, occu-  
pying Caporetto, the heights between  
Indria and Terseo and the towns of  
Torzons, Cerviguagno and Terzo. The  
four towns are located within three  
or four miles of the frontier.

PORT BOMBARDED.  
An Italian destroyer bombarded  
the Austrian port of Buso near the  
frontier, destroying the landings, the  
railroad station and the barracks.  
Two Austrians were killed. These are  
the first casualties reported in the  
new campaign. Forty-seven prisoners,  
including an officer and 15 non-com-  
missioned officers have been brought  
to Venice.

DESTROYED BRIDGES.  
The official statement says in part:  
"On the Friuli front our troops ad-  
vanced and everywhere they encoun-  
tered feeble resistance. We occupied  
Caporetto, the heights between Indria  
and Terseo, and the enemy withdrew,  
destroying houses and burning the  
bridges."

ITALIAN LOSSES SMALL.  
"Our torpedo destroyers attacked  
the port of Buso and disembarked  
troops. We captured 70 Austrians.  
Our losses were one dead and several  
wounded."

SIGHT WARSHIP  
"An Austrian warship with a heavy  
bat escorted by four destroyers were  
sighted by a steamer at midnight pass-  
ing the promontory of Gargano. It  
is probably the warship which was  
driven from Barletta after firing sev-  
eral shots."

EXPECT VERONIAN DRIVE.  
It is regarded in London that the  
Austro-German army will make its  
first important move at the Italian  
center in the direction of Verona.

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### BURCH LEASED CEREAL COMPANY

FORMER GALT GRAIN DEALER  
TO TAKE CHARGE OF LO-  
CAL CONCERN.

G. W. Burch, an experienced grain  
dealer, who recently sold his elevator  
and lumber yards at Galt, Ill., has  
leased the property of the Dixon Cer-  
eal mills in this city and takes pos-  
session immediately.

The firm will continue to do a gen-  
eral grain business. Henry T. Noble  
will remain in the organization, but  
Gordon Utley, the other member of  
the firm that is leasing to Mr. Burch,  
is retiring from the business.

Mr. Burch ran the grain business  
in Galt, three miles west of Sterling,  
for 26 years and is one of the best  
known men in this line of business in  
this section of the state. The Dixon  
Cereal company property is one of  
the most splendidly equipped plants  
in the state and the newly organized  
firm is assured of liberal patronage.

Mr. Burch is a very public spirited  
man and Dixon feels that he is a val-  
uable acquisition to the commercial  
interests of the city.



THOMAS A. EDISON

Invents "Telescope" Which Records Long Distance Talks.



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BRITAIN ADMITS U. S. CORRECT IN SHIPPING

Envoy Spring-Rice's Statement Satisfactory to America.

Washington, May 25.—The British government through Ambassador Spring-Rice gave the assurances desired by the United States as to its understanding of the unofficial character of conferences which have been taking place between officials of the state department and of the British embassy in regard to shipping questions. The British statement asserted that the United States was not considered in any way a party to the agreements made with shipping interests and that the conferences which have been taking place could not, and did not, commit either government to any departures from views expressed in their official correspondence.

This statement was entirely satisfactory to the state department. It is not yet certain whether the conferences abruptly broken off by the state department last Saturday will be resumed. Since Friday the state department has been referring shippers to the British embassy and it has not yet developed whether there will be any further requests made for the state department to lend its good offices.

GOMPERS QUILTS ASSOCIATION

Issues Call to Workers to Oppose Labor Merger in New York.

New York, May 25.—The resignation of Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, as a member of the American Association for Labor Legislation, became known when Gompers issued a call to organized labor to oppose the association because of its advocacy of the bill merging the state workmen's compensation commission with the state labor department of New York.

In a letter to the secretary of the association Gompers complained that the merger was a direct blow at organized labor.

The Weather. Partly cloudy Tuesday; probably showers; moderate east winds.

BASEBALL RESULTS.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Chi. .... 29 12 .705	St. L. .... 15 17 .469
Phil. .... 17 11 .607	Bos. .... 14 16 .467
Pitt. .... 15 13 .538	Cle. .... 12 16 .429
Brook. .... 14 15 .483	N. Y. .... 11 16 .407

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Chi. .... 23 12 .659	Wash. .... 13 16 .448
Dett. .... 22 12 .647	Cle. .... 13 18 .419
N. Y. .... 17 13 .563	St. L. .... 14 20 .412
Bos. .... 13 14 .481	Phil. .... 11 21 .344

At Chicago	R.H.E.
New York	0-0-0-0-0-0-1-4-0-1
Chicago	2-0-0-0-1-0-1-5-7-6
Pitt. Brown and Nunnemaker; Russell, Cleto and Schalk and Daby.	R.H.E.
Philadelphia	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-3-5-0
Cleveland	0-0-0-1-0-0-2-4-10-2
Shawkey and Schang; Hagaman and O'Neil.	R.H.E.
At Detroit	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-4-2
Washington	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-4-2
Detroit	0-0-0-0-0-0-1-3-4-5
Boehling and Abundis; Connelley and Stange.	R.H.E.
At St. Louis	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-4-2
Boston	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-4-2
St. Louis	0-0-0-0-0-0-0-0-4-2
Foster, Meys and Thomas; Londermilk and Agnew.	R.H.E.

FEDERAL LEAGUE.

W. L. Pct.	W. L. Pct.
Pitt. .... 23 12 .659	Brook. .... 13 16 .448
Chi. .... 21 14 .600	St. L. .... 15 17 .469
B. C. .... 18 14 .563	Bat. .... 13 21 .382
Newk. .... 10 15 .400	Ind. .... 10 21 .323

Every safety razor blade sharpened as good as new at Campbell's Drug Store. 101st

NELSON NEWS

Nelson, May 24—Miss Elizabeth Blount spent last Saturday visiting in DeKalb.

Mrs. Will Phillips was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kirk of Sterling Saturday and Sunday.

The Nelson Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. LeRoy Ransom Wednesday afternoon, May 25.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gebhardt, who died at birth, was buried in Calvary cemetery, Sterling, on Tuesday. Mrs. Gebhardt is now doing fairly well.

Mrs. H. L. McKinstry, who has been recuperating at the Dixon hospital for the past month, is expected back the first of the week to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stitzel.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Janssen spent Sunday with Mrs. August Heldt.

John Onken and son August have gone for an extended visit at Minneapolis and Windom, Minn.

Yardmaster J. J. McCoy, wife and daughter have gone to Belvidere for a few days' visit with their parents.

M. C. Stitzel is having his store, residence and tenant cottage repainted.

The remains of Mrs. Kimball, who was a former Nelson township resident, were brought from Waverly, Ia. Saturday and were interred in Nelson cemetery, services being held at the grave. A large number of friends attended. The deceased was the mother of B. B. Kimball.

Mrs. John Bohlken spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. S. P. Boyer and family in Sterling.

LEE NEWS NOTES

Lee, May 24—Mrs. H. A. Hillison, son and daughter were in Rockford Wednesday.

Miss G. Peterson and Mrs. Thomas Hillison were Rochelle shoppers Wednesday.

G. P. Peters and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Herman motored to Ottawa Tuesday.

Mrs. Hallam and daughter of Shabbona were guests of Mrs. Lee Cutts Wednesday.

Mrs. John Wickness, who went to New York to meet a friend from Norway, returned Tuesday.

Lee is oiling streets. O. W. Snow is doing the work.

J. E. Jacobson shipped two carloads of hogs and one of cattle to Chicago Tuesday.

Mrs. Thernberg of Chicago was in Lee the past week visiting her husband, who is expert machinist at the Ostewig garage.

Oscar Button has contracted to construct eight silos in the near future.

F. X. and F. C. Herrman, W. Burd and family and F. W. Erbes and sons were in Rochelle Wednesday.

Mrs. John Quinn, Steve Hart, Andrew Michaels and the Misses Eliza and B. Minnehan were in Rochelle Wednesday.

R. G. Howe, J. W. Snake, F. A. Bach, R. Younggren, S. Ostewig, C. A. Partridge and Clarence Cutts attended Masonic lodge in Shabbona on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. H. J. Olson of Chicago came out Saturday evening and is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ed Hausen of Willow Creek.

The graduation exercises at Scarborough Friday evening were well attended. There were twelve graduates from five schools.

LIGHTHOUSE NEWS

Lighthouse, May 24—Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Floto of the Kingdom spent Sunday at the Fred Gates home.

Henry Bennett was in Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Batchelder of Ashton spent Sunday at the Wm. Ling home.

Mrs. Edith Gates spent Saturday in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Shier, Mr. and Mrs. John Myers and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Johnson motored to Rochelle on Saturday.

Klaus Ebsen, Charlie Butterfield and son Ben, Frank Reed, Perry Fruin and Charles Pluster were in Dixon Saturday.

The Carthage school closed last week.

U. S. Strengthening Levee. East St. Louis, Ill., May 25.—That the federal government means business in so far as assisting the east side levee and sanitary district is concerned, was made manifest when it was learned this week that the Mississippi river commission had advertised for bids for constructing about three-fourths of a mile of the levee, complete, south of the old Pittsburgh dyke.

AMBOY NEWS

Amboy, May 22—Commencement exercises will take place next Friday, May 28, in the Amboy Opera House. Nineteen Amboy high school students will receive their diplomas. The program will be as follows:

Down in the Dewey Dell—Smart The Misses Donagh, of Rochelle The Mermaids—Dvorak Trio

Address—Education and Life John D. Shoop, First Asst. Supt. of Chicago Schools

Carmena Waltz Song—Carmen Trio

Presentation of Diplomas—County Supt. L. W. Miller Irish Love Song—Margaret Lang Trio

Reception to Graduates—The members of the class are: Irene Rachel Barlow Mary Rosalene Burns Lucile Julia Entorf Cecil Llewellyn Emery Rachel Bertha Entorf Vera Ivel Eddy Nona Delight Fuller David William Gibson Otto John Hecker Charles Wesley Jeanblanc Adolph Hanz Klepprodt Caroline Kiefer Dwight Ross Myrard Harriet Augusta Maine Anna Edith Miller Helen Margaret Meeks Frank James Rooney Eda Alma Sandberg Sadie Emma Welsh John MacKinnon has purchased the Thorne property on East Main St. He intends erecting a new residence on the lots west of the house, and has rented the home to Carl Fisher, who has a real estate office in this city.

The Lee County tennis tournament was held at Franklin Grove Wednesday afternoon, and the Amboy high school won a great victory. Harry Doty took the honors in the singles by winning two sets straight. Paw-paw was defeated by the Amboy team composed of Charles Church and Frank Rooney who won the doubles. Supt. Eastman accompanied the boys, and several auto loads of schoolmates also went along.

Louis North accompanied his mother to this city last Tuesday to spend a few days visiting old time friends. Mr. North is superintendent of the machinery department of the Illinois Central at Burnside.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Spangler are entertaining Mrs. C. A. Leager of Fort Atkinson, Wis.

Dinner will be served the day of the races July 3, at the Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hamlyn and Miss Hannah Boyce motored to Oregon Sunday to visit at the Burt Schneider home.

Amboy Post No. 572 G. A. R., will attend services at the Congregational church Sunday evening May 30, at 7:30. The members of the W. R. C. will also be present.

Frank Hewitt spent a few days in Chicago this week.

B. F. Schlough was in Sterling Tuesday.

S. Elliot has purchased a new Carter car.

The Seniors class delightfully entertained the Junior class Wednesday evening at Masonic hall, with a banquet which was served by the ladies of the Eastern Star. The tables were beautifully decorated in carnations and ferns, also yellow candle shades, which added a pretty touch of color.

Orville Barlow, president of the Junior class, gave the address of welcome, to which the president of the Senior class, Dwight Myrard, responded. Junior and Senior histories were given by George King and Frank Rooney and class prophecies were given by Mary Burns and Irene Richter. Speeches were made by members of the faculty.

Miss Jeanette Rocho, who submitted to an operation at the local hospital recently is making a rapid recovery.

Mrs. Martha Krehl departed for Minnesota last week, where she expects to remain some time.

Miss Clara Weaver entertained her brother, C. M. Weaver of Pawpaw Wednesday.

C. F. Dewey sold four Morgan horses to J. H. Norris, superintendent of the Shoshone Indian Agency, Wyoming, last Tuesday.

Simon McGee will build a seven room cottage on Metcalf street.

Miss Edith Hitchcock and Mr. and Mrs. L. Hitchcock of Troy, Grove, spent Monday at the P. W. Mason home.

Frank Myers returned from Chicago last week, accompanied by his nephew, Frank Devine, who will spend some time here.

A large number of Amboy Masons motored to Princeton Tuesday to attend the laying of the cornerstone of the new government building. Among those present were W. D. Scott, Dr. Berryman, George McBride, C. C. MacKinnon, B. B. Brew, George Gunning, F. H. Hubbell, E. Doty, N. E. Jewett, V. B. Andruss, Mr. and Mrs. Randall Green, Mr. and Mrs. Judson Burnham and Mrs. J. E. Hans.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Carpenter are spending a few days in Chicago, attending a convention of the Illinois Press Association.

Mr. and Mrs. John Church had their son Bert, as their guest last Sunday.

The Kauffman-McBride pharmacy has an exhibit of the work of the students of the International Correspondence Schools in their window which is very interesting. E. R. Filkins has charge of the display.

Mrs. John Daehler entertained Mrs. Will Lyons of Polo Sunday.

Dwight Bartlett of Dixon spent a few days in this vicinity last week.

Mrs. O'Gerik and little daughter of Mendota spent Wednesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Rambo.

Mrs. Perry Eddy of LaMoille who recently underwent an operation in the local hospital, is improving. Last Sunday Mr. Eddy and family spent the day with her.

Mrs. N. E. Jewett was a Dixon visitor Thursday.

Mrs. Rose Morrissey entertained Mr. and Mrs. Frank O'Brien and Mr. and Mrs. James Long of Harmon Sunday.

Funeral services for the late Geo. Klein were held Sunday at 2 Rev. J. W. George officiating. Among the relatives present were Mr. and Mrs.



The catfish is so named because he looks about as much like a fish as he does like a cat.

He is one of the commonest citizens in American waters and if his disposition was as bad as his looks he would be more unpopular than a crocodile. He consists of a vast compressive mouth with a specially constructed head, built to accommodate it. After a catfish's head is finished there isn't enough left of him to make a very impressive body. He is therefore mostly head. However, it is a flat head with a slanting brow. The catfish is not noted for his intelligence. He can be caught with a common hook and any old bait as easily as a confidence man can be hooked by a smooth oil well promoter.

The catfish is liberally decorated with spines and wears two horns over his face which look like the whiskers of a Chinese mandarin. He is more respected on account of his spines than for any other reason. No man who has caressed a kicking catfish in a careless manner can bring himself to be familiar with him again very soon. A hornet's tail hurts worse than a catfish's spine, but not for so long.

The catfish lives in a humble and orderly manner in the muddy bottom of any old stream and is the boon of the school boy and the Mississippi river fisherman. Some catfish are content to weigh half a pound while some of them lie in the channel of the great alluvial rivers and let the food-laden water flow through their croton tunnel faces until they attain a weight of 150 pounds and have to be hauled out with a windlass. When the Mississippi river fisherman feels a tug boat pulling on his line he gives three cheers and hauls away until he peers into the cavernous grin of a channel cat. Then he loads him on a wagon, wraps wet leaves around him and travels through the country sawing off catfish steaks until nothing but the grin is left. The catfish is not as talented gasironically as the speckled trout, but he is a superior article of food when skinned and dehorned and should not be scorned on account of his looks.

Catfish are said to be able to leave the water in dry spells and travel long distances on land, pushing themselves selves along with their spines. It was this talent which inspired the early American steamboat men to build craft which could waddle over sand bars when necessary and navigate for long distances on the damp remains of a river which had evaporated two days before.

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Wisconsin Lawyer Disbarred. Milwaukee, Wis., May 25.—David E. Johnson, a local attorney, was disbarred on six charges, among which was the embezzlement of the funds of clients. The charges were filed last July by the grievance committee of the Milwaukee Bar association. The decision was rendered by Judge E. B. Belden of Racine.

General Thomas H. Hubbard Dead. New York, May 25.—General Thomas Hamill Hubbard, lawyer and civil war veteran, died at his home on West Fifty-eighth street, after a week's illness. He was seventy-six years old. General Hubbard was the son of Dr. John Hubbard, a prominent surgeon of Maine, who was governor of the state from 1843 to 1853.



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## Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

### CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

**Tuesday**  
Baldwin Camp, U. S. W. V. Auxiliary—Army Hall

**Wednesday**  
Dixon High School Commencement—Family Theatre

Unity Guild—Mrs. Weibezahn  
Nelson Ladies Aid—Mrs. LeRoy Ransom

Cly Alty club—Mrs. Harry Hintz  
Silent club—Mrs. August Voight  
Grace Church Aid—Evangelical church.

**Thursday**  
Ladies Foresters' Social club—K. C. hall

Presbyterian Missionary—Mrs. W. H. Coppins

Guilds Reception—Episcopal Rectory.  
Daughters of the Covenant—Miss Louise Hunter

Royal Neighbors—Miller hall  
**Friday**  
C. C. Circle—Mrs. Frank Sproul

**Lady Foresters Social Club**  
The Lady Foresters Social club will give a card party in K. C. hall Thursday afternoon to which all Foresters are invited. "500" will be played. The committee on entertainment are Mrs. Agnes Barry, Mrs. John Hetler and Miss Emma O'Malley.

**Cly Alty Club**  
The Cly Alty club will meet Wednesday with Mrs. Harry Hintz at Brookside farm.

**Reception at Rectory**  
The guilds of the Episcopal church cordially invite all friends of the parish to meet Mr. and Mrs. Grant on Thursday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock at the rectory, 209 W. Third St.

**Domestic Science Club**  
The West Brooklyn Domestic Science club will meet Wednesday afternoon, May 26th, with Mrs. Lydell Berscheid.

**Silent Club**  
The Silent club will meet with Mrs. August Voight May 26th.

**Drove to Clinton**  
Mr. and Mrs. Ed DuVall and children, Mr. Harper and daughters Neva and Louise motored to Clinton, Ia., Sunday and visited friends there.

**Sunday Guests**  
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Gitt and daughter Esther of Wisconsin, and Mr. and Mrs. d Dillon and family of Palmyra were guests Sunday at the George Gitt home.

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**Guests at Inn**  
Dr. and Mrs. W. F. Aydelotte, and Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kramer drove to Grand Detour and were dinner guests at the Colonial Inn.

**From ce Center**  
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Willis and family of Lee Center were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. Willis' mother, Mrs. N. C. Willis of this city.

**At Newcomer Home**  
Mrs. Celia Shell and daughter, Miss Daisy of Polo, were guests Monday of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Newcomer.

**Drove to Polo**  
Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Newcomer and daughter and Dr. Altman had charge of the services in the Polo Lutheran church.

**Meeting Postponed**  
The meeting of the Ladies Aid Society of the Methodist church has been postponed until a week from Friday.

**Sunday Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. Winn Seybert entertained at Sunday dinner Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Phillips of Eldena and Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Beightel of Dixon.

**R. A. M. WILL MEET**  
There will be a state convocation of Nachusa Chapter R. A. M. tomorrow evening for degree work.

**Shower for Miss Eichenberg**  
A delightful function of yesterday afternoon was the handkerchief shower given by Misses Annetta Gorman and Ruth Altman at the home of the former in honor of Miss Irene Eichenberg, to be a June bride. Luncheon was served following an afternoon spent in fancy work and games. Covers were laid for twelve. Valley lilies and bridal wreath, used as a centerpiece, and ropes of smilax extending to the corners of the table formed the table decoration. Miss Eichenberg was the recipient of many beautiful handkerchiefs.

**Afternoon Function**  
Mrs. Fred King entertained this afternoon with a luncheon for Miss Edna Rosbrook.

**Motor to Oregon**  
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Slothower and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rose of this city motored to Oregon Sunday.

**Grace Church Aid**  
The Ladies Aid Society of the Grace Evangelical church will meet tomorrow at the church.

**Surprise Miss Espy**  
Miss Mazie Espy was happily surprised Monday evening by twenty of her friends, who had been invited by her mother, Mrs. R. H. Espy, the occasion being Miss Espy's birthday. The evening was pleasantly spent at cards with light refreshments served later. Miss Espy was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

**Daughters of the Covenant**  
The Daughters of the Covenant will meet this week with Miss Louise Hunter 1260 W. Third St. the meeting to be held Thursday evening.

**At Sunday Dinner**  
Mrs. A. P. Nelson entertained Miss Ann Kohl, Otto Kohl of Sterling, Morris Rosbrook, Miss Ellen Myers, Mrs. Hattie Trough and daughter Esther of Dixon, and the hostess' son, Arthur Nelson, of Fort Sheridan, Ill., at Sunday dinner.

**Dine in Grand Detour**  
Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Leake, Mrs. J. C. Leake and Mrs. Appleton were among the Dixon guests at the Colonial Inn, Grand Detour Sunday.

**Sunday Dinner**  
Mr. and Mrs. Sam Forney and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hoyle dined Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hoyle.

The big musical event of the year at the opera house Friday evening, June 4. 1221

### At Oddy Home

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Indeman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Topper were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Oddy of St. James.

### Social Circle Postponed

The meeting of the Prairieville Social Circle, which was to have been held with Mrs. Fred Brauer Wednesday, has been postponed until Wednesday, June 3rd.

### From Monticello, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jacobs and John Jacobs, cousins of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Miller, of Prairieville, motored from Monticello, Ia., Sunday, and are guests at the Miller home.

### Royal Neighbors

The Royal Neighbors meet in regular session Thursday evening in Miller's hall. All members are requested to be present.

### Delightful Party Series

A delightful series of parties is being given by the Mesdames Max, Adolph, and Isador Eichler at the home of the latter, 316 Fifth street. The first of the series, a eucher party was given Monday afternoon, thirty ladies being guests.

This afternoon the second of the series, another card party, will be given. The third affair, a thimble party, will be given Thursday afternoon.

Out of town guests at yesterday's function were Mrs. Herman Lebovich of Oregon, Ill., and Mrs. Van Spankerin of Texas.

## BOMBARD PARIS AGAIN FROM AIR

Taube Flies Over French Capital Without Damage.

### BRITISH DRIVEN OUT BY GAS

Sir John French Admits Loss of Trenches at Ypres by Use of Poisonous Fluid—Fumes Fail to Budge French Who Repulse Foes With Loss.

Paris, May 25.—Another German aeroplane of the Taube type flew over the northern suburb of Paris, and in its flight dropped several bombs. No person was hurt.

London, May 25.—Asphyxiating gases and poisonous shells have once more enabled the Germans to penetrate the British lines east of Ypres. A report from General Sir John French says the Germans attacked at 3 o'clock in the morning under cover of a heavy fire of shells, containing stupefying gases, and forced the British to evacuate some of their trenches at two or three places in the line.

The fighting is still in progress, says French, and some of the lost trenches already have been regained. Gas warfare also was waged north of Ypres against the French and Belgians, but Paris reports that the attacks failed. The French replied by bombarding the German ship yards at Raverzyde, southwest of Ostend, and a vigorous artillery duel followed.

In Northern France the fighting seems to be proceeding in favor of the allies, although General French fails to mention the progress of the battle on the line from Arras to Lille. Paris, however, declares the British have made further progress north of LaBasse and that a determined German attack north of Neuville was checked by artillery fire.

The Germans defending Notre Dame de Lorette are declared by the French statement issued at night to have been annihilated, although Berlin reports that French attacks on the northern slopes of the Lorette hills were repulsed. This battle, which has been raging for several weeks with furious bayonet attacks and counter attacks, is developing into one of the fiercest on the western front. Paris reported a few days ago that the plateau of Lorette was in French hands, but the German statement disputes this claim.

**Using Soap Spoils the Hair**  
Soap should be used very sparingly, if at all, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulified coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), is cheaper and better than soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonsful will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulified coconut oil at any pharmacy, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

## Admiral Viale of Italian Navy Regarded Splendid Strategist.



Photo by American Press Association.

With the declaration of war by Italy a great deal is expected of Admiral Viale, minister of marine. Admiral Viale is regarded as one of the ablest strategists in Europe. While, of course, the movements of the Italian fleet are not known, it is said that a portion of the fleet will be at once sent to the Dardanelles to aid in the effort of the combined forces of Germany to get into Constantinople. At the same time a great part of Italy's fleet will be required to protect her extended coast line.

### GOES ALONE TO FACE CHARGE

Oklahoma ex-City Official Arrested in Chicago as Embezzler.

Chicago, May 25.—Elmer W. Thiele who came to Chicago recently after his defeat for reelection as city clerk of Cushing, Okla., started back to Cushing without police guard to face a charge of embezzling \$300 of city funds. "Telegraph Mayor Dorego that I'll go back without extradition papers, for I'm not guilty of the charge of 'It's politics,'" Thiele said. "Let him come back alone," the mayor telegraphed back.

### WOMAN DIES OF INTERNAL BURNS.

Champaign, Ill., May 24.—Mrs. George James, one of the best known leaders among state farm women, died at her home in Champaign county as a result of having inhaled flames. She was burned when trying to put out a fire in an incubator. She fanned out the flames with an apron, but her clothing caught fire.

### Boy at Bat Is Killed by Pitcher.

Quincy, Ill., May 24.—In a game of baseball between Payson and Hull high schools in Payson Reynolds pitcher for the Hulls, struck Charles Seymour, aged sixteen years, at bat for Payson, in the heart with a ball, causing instant death. The deceased was son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seymour.

### KUEPFERLE CITIZEN OF U. S.

Spy Who Ends Life Is Found to Have Been Naturalized.

New York, May 22.—The claim of Anton Kuepfeler, the German spy, who committed suicide in London, that he was an American citizen, was authenticated here.

County Clerk Devey, in Brooklyn, searching through the records, found that Kuepfeler had sworn allegiance to this country on May 12, 1912.

### And That's the Reason.

"Don't you want your nice bread and butter, Anne?" asked her father. Anne shook her head. "It's a shame to waste such nice bread and butter," continued her father. "I'll eat it myself." Anne watched the process with big eyes and a look of expectancy on her face.

Finally, when the last mouthful had disappeared, Anne asked, "Papa, did it tickle?"

"Tickle?" said her father. "Why, no. What do you mean?"

"I thought it would tickle," said Anne. "It had a long hair on it."—Delineator.

Cummins Incorored for President.  
Des Moines, Ia., May 24.—Senator Albert B. Cummins of Iowa was endorsed as a candidate for the Republican nomination for president in 1916 at a meeting of the Republican State Central committee here.

Adam Schaffer of Franklin Grove was here Monday.

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### NEW JAP-CHINESE TREATY NOW

(The Associated Press)  
Peking, May 25.—A new treaty between China and Japan has been signed.

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A BLUNDER.

Despite the German thoroughness of going through with a thing once started, it seems quite probable that the report of a vast difference of opinion in the German official family over the Lusitania disaster is correct.

So far as can be learned through the bars of censorship this event is the first warlike act that has caused any division in German sentiment.

Reports are filtering through that there is a growing feeling in German official circles that the torpedoing of the Lusitania was a "mistake."

Considering the usual German methods of careful preparation it is probable that the effect of the act was carefully estimated by the imperial advisers before it was perpetrated. Doubtless, they had their argument prepared and found their justification in points of international law and in reprisals for the British blockade. But the German mistake appears to have been made in not taking into account the feeling of horror and indignation that would sweep the United States. Accustomed as the German statesmen and commanders must be to European slaughter, they could not put themselves in the mental attitude that would enable them to estimate American public feeling. German writers, philosophers and students constantly make this complaint about Americans—meaning, in short, that Americans cannot understand Germans. In this instance the Germans seem to have failed to understand Americans.

Unless this is true, then the act could have been planned only for the purpose that many now claim—for drawing the United States into the war and thereby giving Germany good reasons for consenting to peace, while the fighting is still beyond the German frontiers. This theory does not appear to square itself with the usual German method of determination to finish a thing once begun, but it is being advanced.

Germany could not hope to advance her cause by directly affronting the United States, for as much as Germany—in common with other powers—has derided the military preparedness of the United States, it is far too wise to underestimate the great advantage in resources and war material that the United States could furnish. And, in the end, the war will be decided on the point of resources.

Regardless of the decisions that will be made by the German government in its conduct of the crisis, it is probable that there is a growing German belief that the killing of Americans on board the Lusitania was a serious mistake.

In the words of a famous statesman, "It was worse than a crime; it was a blunder."

## THE SHORT BALLOT.

Those who believe in the principle of the short ballot will follow with much interest the proceedings of the New York constitutional convention on the proposition. A number of prominent members of the convention are on record as favoring the short ballot and the prospects of incorporating it into the new constitution have been regarded as favorable, says the Bloomington Pantagraph.

The first proposed amendment providing the short ballot was introduced Tuesday, providing that the governor, lieutenant governor, controller and attorney general shall be elective and gives the governor the appointment of the secretary of state, treasurer, state engineer and surveyor. It also lengthens the term of the governor, lieutenant governor, controller and attorney general from two to four years. An amendment to this proposed amendment provides for the appointment by the governor with the consent of the senate, of secretary of state, secretary for the interior, secretary for public works, secretary for finance, secretary for defense, secretary for commerce and labor and superintendent of public instruction. It will be noted that this amendment presupposes the institution of several new departments in the state government.

Just why the controller and attorney general should remain elective while the secretary of state, state treasurer and others should be appointive is not clear. It has been the experience in Illinois in many instances that almost all candidates except governor have been unknown to the average voter. If the short ballot argument applies to the secretary of state, state treasurer, etc., it certainly applies with equal force to the attorney general and state auditor. The theory of the short ballot is to concentrate power in the governor and hold him responsible for every department of the state government. The lieutenant governor, of course, should be elective because of the relation of the office to the governorship.

That there will be opposition to the adoption of the short ballot amendment in New York is shown by the fact that a proposed amendment has been introduced actually lengthening the ballot. The measure was submitted by ex-Senator Brackett, who would make superintendents of banks, insurance and prisons elective, with terms running for five years. Mr. Brackett has announced that he is ready to assume the leadership in the fight against the short ballot in the convention.

One thing is certain and that is that the question of the short ballot will be thoroughly threshed out on the floor of the convention. If it is adopted after such consideration the action of New York state will constitute the greatest impetus that has ever been given the short ballot movement.

## CARTWRIGHT SHOULD BE RETURNED.

Justice James Cartwright of Oregon is the man the voters of this district want to re-elect to the Supreme court. Judge Cartwright is tried and true, honorable and capable. His record of the years he has spent on the bench will send him back to continue his good work.

## THE RIGHTS OF NEUTRALS.

Touching the rights of neutrals, Oscar S. Strauss of New York said in a recent address: "We owe it to the past, we owe it to the present, we owe it to the future, we owe it to the nations at war, we owe it to the nations at peace, we owe it to humanity that rights universally acknowledged shall be respected, preserved and held sacred."

Bless us, how the weatherman has loosened up. He is getting to be a veritable spendthrift with his rain.



## THE AGENTS.

The agents are a cheerful bunch, whose talk has optimistic pitch; they have the nerve, they have the punch, yet few of them get beastly rich. I wonder why they try to sell such junk as no man wants to buy? They come and seek me where I dwell, and talk until I wish to die, and always what they have for sale is something I would never use; why don't they try to get the sale by selling overalls and shoes? Why don't they handle mops or brooms, or books a normal man would read, or made-to-order toms, or something you and I might need? But no, they bring a drivel book, by feeble-minded author penned, and try by every hook or crook, to dump it on their humble friend. They try to sell a patent chair to one who never owned a cow, or bring a lamp that will not burn, and recommend it to the frau. They bring us health restoring drugs when we are feeling fine as wheat, they offer costly Persian rugs to folks who haven't things to eat. They are a blithe and cheerful bunch, the smiles they wear are glad and sweet; they have the nerve, they have the punch, but can't connect with Easy Street.



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## EUROPE'S IDEA OF AMERICA.

It is amusing to read of the jibes that European nations shoot at Americans concerning their money-making proclivities, the keen desire that the Yankee has for wealth and his willingness to sacrifice all for the almighty dollar, etc., and then to reflect that all Europe is frantically slaughtering its own household because one nation was afraid another was getting stronger commercially. America is after business, all right, and wants dollars, but there are some things worth more to America than money. There is one nation in Europe that has a changed idea about American avarice—Belgium, the little nation that the citizens of the United States has been saving from starvation. The Stars and Stripes bring forth a cheer in Belgium every time.

## STREET SWEEPING PLEASURES.

The action of the city officials in having the street sweeper out working on the paved streets several times lately is highly pleasing to the residents of these thoroughfares and the drivers of vehicles. Clean streets are dustless in dry weather and safe in wet weather. Streets that are not clean are the opposite.

The city should buy a sweeper or employ someone who owns one to do the work. The Telegraph joins with the citizens in thanking the officials for the street cleaning already done and hopes it will be continued.

## City In Brief

Attend the Rose Maiden, Dixon opera house, Friday evening, June 1.

Jas. Penrose of Chicago is here to visit his parents.

Contractor W. J. McAlpine was in Chicago today on business.

Hon. Wm. L. Leech was here Monday afternoon from Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Herriek and Mrs. M. C. Giffin of Polo were visitors in this city on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schumm were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Merriman of the Peoria Road.

Parisian Sage penetrates into the hair roots and makes the hair grow luxuriant, lustrous and beautiful. Nothing so good for dandruff, split and falling hair. Rowland Bros.

Mrs. Rachael Webster of Ashton was a guest Saturday of her son, Joseph Webster, of E. Fifth street.

Misses Marie and Mabel Joynt have recovered from the measles.

Mrs. Fred Overstreet had the misfortune to receive an injury by a radiator falling on her foot and severe injury to her ankle.

Wm. Hintz went to Sycamore today on business.

## PEORIA WOMAN TELLS EXPERIENCE

Mrs. W. L. McClellan, of Peoria, suffered torture from indigestion, gas, belching and other symptoms of stomach trouble. She spent large sums of money for doctors' advice and medicine. Still her condition did not improve. She found relief, wonderful, surprising relief in a drug store window. This is her story, as she tells it: "I suffered so from distention and colicky pains that at times I was completely incapacitated for my household work. I saw a window display of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy and decided to purchase a bottle, which I did. I have taken only one bottle and the results have been really wonderful. I have not had a pain in my stomach since, and let me say that for the first time in many, many months, two days following I have had a natural movement of the bowels. I feel I cannot say enough for the remarkable virtues of your remedy."

Mayr's Wonderful Remedy gives permanent results for stomach, liver and intestinal ailments. Eat as much and whatever you like. No more distress after eating, pressure of gas in the stomach and around the heart. Get one bottle of your druggist now and try it on an absolute guarantee—if not satisfactory money will be returned.

Miss Tillie Rice returned last evening from a week end visit at Park Ridge as a guest at the Claude Murphy home.

Henry D. Dement of Oak Park is here to attend the reunion of the Thirtieth regiment and visit relatives.

Attorney Preston of Pawpaw was here today.

Miss Lucile Reynolds returned last evening from Chicago.

Chas. E. Bick and wife went to Rockford today.

Max Lett was in Chicago today on business.

Arthur Phillips drove to Oregon today with his auto truck and will return with household goods.

John Coffey of Batavia was here yesterday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Coffey.

## JUST SO THEY GIVE UP CASH

Moving Picture Houses Open in Danville, Ill., Sunday.

Danville, Ill., May 25.—Despite the fact that the city council has thus far refused to allow theaters to open on Sunday, although the people by a majority of 500 voted for Sunday opening this spring, all the moving picture houses were open here Sunday. No admittance was charged, the patrons giving what they saw fit, with the understanding that the net proceeds are to go to charity.

Lakeview hospital and the Children's home have announced that they will have to refuse any donation from the money secured at the Sunday performances.

## RAISE MORE FOR SHRINKAGE

Alton, Ill., V. W. C. L. Girls Get \$2,000 for Organization.

Alton, Ill., May 25.—The canvassers soliciting funds for the maintenance of the Young Women's Christian League in Alton practically completed their work Saturday night, and it is announced that nearly \$2,000 has been raised by young girls to support the institution for the first year.

The girls began to raise \$2,000, but when the task seemed almost hopeless they decided to raise 10 per cent more to allow for shrinkage, and three days later they had the full amount promised.

Ethel—Poor Reggie; since I rejected him he's all broken up.

Marie—Don't reproach yourself too much, dear; he was half cracked before—Transcript.

Randolph—Is that Bluxton's new girl with him?

Sylvester—Oh, no; that's just one of his old ones painted over.



SCENE FROM THE SCALES OF JUSTICE IN FIVE REELS TO BE SHOWN AT THE FAMILY TONIGHT

## JUDGE CARTER GUEST OF HONOR

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of Joliet penitentiary, Master in Chancery M. C. Keller, A. C. Bardwell, J. F. Palmer, Henry S. Dixon, Jason C. Ayres, H. C. Warner, ex-County Judge R. H. Scott, A. H. Haanenken, E. H. Brewster, C. H. Brewster, W. H. Winn, Hiram Brooks, Clarence Brooks, Harold Sheller, John Armstrong, Edward Mee, W. G. Kent, W. F. Preston, Grover Gehant, Martin Gannon, E. E. Wingert, A. W. Leland, Clyde Smith, G. C. Dixon, John E. Erwin, A. K. Trusdell and the following attorneys from Rochelle: S. V. and Fred Wirick, Clarence Gardner, Fred Gardner, Ed. McConaughy, Fred Tilton, W. R. Dasher; from Oregon: J. C. Seyster, W. P. Frearer, S. W. Crowell, H. G. Kauffman, E. A. Ray, Joseph Sears, James McDowell; from Polo: Fred Zick, R. M. Brand, Harry Tipper, Leon Philp and Robt. Dracklen; from Amboy: Attorney P. M. James, Attorney C. F. Preston of Pawpaw, and George B. Shaw, editor of the Telegraph; W. S. Block, editor of the News; Frank Stevens, editor of the Citizen; Stanley Cryer, city editor of the Leader; Z. A. Landers, editor of the Ogle County Republican; F. R. Robinson, editor of the Ogle County Reporter of Oregon and A. E. Simonson of Dixon, representing Chicago newspapers.

## AMBOY OBJECTORS FINISH THEIR CASE

The hearing of objections of land owners in Amboy township to having land annexed to Inlet Swamp drainage district was completed this afternoon and Wednesday morning will be heard the objections of the road commissioners of Bradford and Lee Center townships against benefits to be derived in the drainage of highways in close proximity to the ditch. The hearing of objections as filed will be completed Thursday or Friday of this week and then Judge Crabtree will go out and view the land that he has not inspected over which objections have been raised.



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We have a few very desirable Ladies' Suits from the recent special Sale at \$13.95 left. These Suits are \$25 and \$30 values and cannot be furnished ordinarily, for less than that. If you can be fitted you can secure a great Bargain.

A few Silk Dresses also are left from a recent Sale; if your fit, you can secure a bargain.

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## UNITED STATES

## ASKS JOHN BULL

(Associated Press)  
Washington, May 25.—The United States has inquired to learn the meaning of the British admiralty notice which specifies that neutral vessels must obtain permission to take the north route around the British Isles for Scandinavian countries. The route is outside territorial waters.

## TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

Mrs. Mary Good, daughter of Mahlon Burkett of North Ottawa avenue, was taken to the hospital yesterday for treatment.

## HIGH COURT UPHOLDS SENTENCE

(Associated Press)  
Albany, N. Y., May 25.—The second conviction of former Police Lieutenant Becker for instigating the murder of gambler Rosenthal was upheld today by the court of appeals. Becker is under death sentence.

Young Couples  
Going To Housekeeping

DOESN'T it stand to reason that the store that makes a special feature of furnishing homes for newly married people, would be the store that could best give young folks suggestions, and help in creating artistic, cozy and attractive abodes in which to begin their married life?

Exceptionally Handsome Buffet, made of quarter-sawed oak, and finished—Golden, Fumed or Waxed; has one large and three small draws in addition to the large encasements occupy middle section.

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A well constructed  
Dining Table

made of quarter-sawed oak and finish to match Buffet. The plank top measures 34 x 54 in. and extends to 8 feet.

With  
Dining Chairs

to match, brown spanish leather slip seat, to match Table and Buffet.

## Living Room Furniture

in William and Mary style and finish. Also Jacobean style and finish. Stickley's Bros. high-grade Mission Furniture in Leather and Fumed Oak

## Brass Bedsteads

with 2 inch posts and 5 Sllers. Also 3 inch posts.

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## ITALIAN FLEET SINKS 3 SHIPS

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### U. S. IS NEUTRAL

A neutrality proclamation covering Italy has been issued at Washington.

### SWISS MAKE STATEMENT.

The Swiss government has announced that it will represent German interests at Rome, while Austro-Hungary interests will be taken care of by Spain.

### AMBASSADORS SAFE.

The German and Austrian ambassadors to Italy have arrived at Chiasso, Switzerland.

### CALL FOR RESERVISTS.

Rome has instructed all Italian reservists in the United Kingdom to return to Italy at once.

Vienna, May 25.—The following official statement covering the operations in the war with Italy was issued here:

"In the southwestern theatre—in consequence of the new war situation there have been a few minor engagements on the Tyrol frontier and the coastal frontier of Italy.

"Cavalry has been observed near Strassoldo."

Rome, May 25.—The Italian fleet commanded by the duke of Abruzzi engaged the Austrian fleet that bombarded Ancona. Three small Austrian boats have been sunk, according to unofficial reports reaching here, and two captured.

Two British warships cooperated with the Italian fleet in the naval battle. The remainder of the Austrian fleet fled northward, the Anglo-Italian fleet pursuing the enemy warships until they got under the guns of Pola.

The Italian fleet, cruising northward in the Adriatic, encountered the Austrian fleet before the formal declaration of war had been made by Italy. The Italian fleet had received word that the Austrian warships had steamed out from Pola to bombard the Italian coast as soon as war was declared, and hurried northward to intercept the enemy ships.

The two battle squadrons met in the middle of the Adriatic. The Austrian flagship saluted Abruzzi's flagship and the salute was returned. For several hours the Italian fleet followed the Austrian vessels, steaming slowly northward along the Italian coast.

Slip Away at Night.  
During the night the Austrian fleet slipped away in the darkness. Before daybreak in the morning two British warships joined Abruzzi's fleet and took up the search for the Austrians.

Shortly afterward word was flashed to Abruzzi's flagship that Austrian warships had bombarded Ancona. The Anglo-Italian squadron encountered the Austrians and gave battle. The Austrians fled eastward and in a running battle that lasted several hours three small Austrian vessels were sunk and two captured, according to dispatches from Adriatic coast towns. It is presumed here that the Austrian warships sunk or captured were destroyers or small scout steamers.

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## GERMANY IS AT WAR WITH ITALY

Berlin Makes Formal Declaration of Hostilities.

### AIRSHIPS RAID ITALIAN COAST

Enemy's Planes and Dirigibles Drop Bombs Along Front of 255 Miles—Frontier Engagements Reported—Austrians Driven Back—May Remove Capital From Rome.

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Italian refugees from Trieste, to the number of 2,000, who made their way on foot across the eastern frontier, report that all the railroads into Austria have been cut. The refugees further assert that German troops have arrived at Trieste to reinforce the Austrian garrison, and that the Austrian commander has determined to raise the city to prevent its occupation by the Italian troops.

The Austrian authorities in the crown lands are arresting all Italians and permitting only women and children to leave. The latter have no food and in many cases not enough clothing. This news and the fact that 20,000 Italians have been stopped at the frontier has caused widespread indignation and there is talk in official circles of reprisals.

### May Remove Capital From Rome.

A report is current in Florence that the Italian court will leave Rome shortly and take up its quarters in the Pitti palace, Florence, so that the king can be near the front. Queen Elena will personally direct the operations of the Italian Red Cross, of which she is president. Many works of art have been taken to Florence from Venice, Udine, Treviso and other cities which might be bombarded by the Austrians.

According to advices from Geneva large German forces are concentrated in the Adige valley, in the Trentino, and a German air fleet, including Zeppelins of the latest type and Taubes, is with this army. The Germans are said to have heavy artillery for the shelling of the Italian forts in the Alpine passes.

The Messagero has received a dispatch from the frontier saying that 4,000 Austrian soldiers have deserted and joined the Italians.

### Nine Entombed in Blast.

Johnstown, Pa., May 25.—Nine No. 1 of the Smokeless Coal company, just south of the city, was blown up. There are nine men in the mine and all are thought to have been killed.

## HEAVY STORMS IN STATE THIS MORN

(Associated Press)

Chicago, May 25.—Many poles and wires in northern and central Illinois are out of commission today as a result of a heavy rain and electrical storm today. An inch of rain fell in the central Illinois valley in an hour. Buildings at Bushnell were damaged to the extent of \$25,000.

## The Sicilia, One of Powerful Ships of Italian Navy, Has Splendid Equipment.

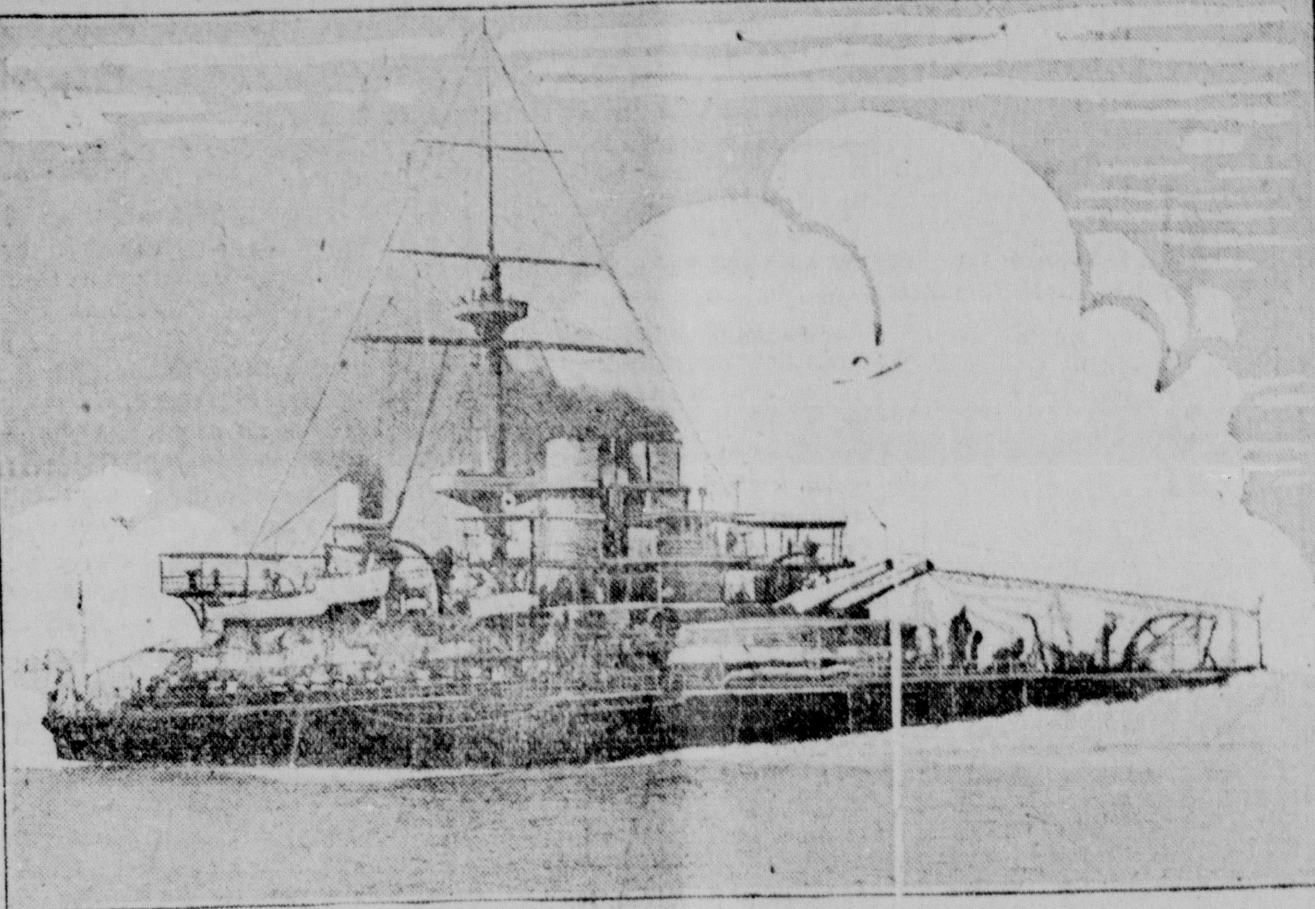


Photo by American Press Association.

In the accompanying illustration is shown the Sicilia, one of the big ships of the Italian navy. She has a displacement of more than 13,000 tons and is capable of a speed of twenty knots an hour. She has four thirteen and one-half inch guns in pairs, fore and aft; eight six-inch guns, twelve five-inch guns, not to mention a number of smaller guns.

## Dramatic Notes

### AT THE PRINCESS

The feature at the Princess theater tonight is "The Kite," a Kay-Bee drama with Rhea Mitchell, Howard Hickman and Edward Brennan in the leading roles. The other pictures are a Keystone comedy entitled "The Rent Jumpers," a very good comedy. The last reel is a Reelance drama entitled, "When Carcer Passed By," with William Williams and Gladie McDonald in the leading roles. A drama sparkling with incident.

### AT THE FAMILY

Tonight the Family theatre offers a double bill of merit. In addition to the Paramount Travelogue Series pictures, regularly shown on Mondays, there will be given "The Scales of Justice," a famous drama of love, duty and law. The picture was produced by the Famous Players' Film Co., and contains an excellent cast. The prices for tonight will be 10 and 15 cents. The Paramount pictures bid fair to maintain their usual high standard and will portray many places of interest.

On account of the length of the program, five reels of the Scales of Justice, and one of The Paramount, making six in all, the first show

will commence at 7:30 sharp.

### "Kid" Star Denies Responsibility.

East St. Louis, Ill., May 25.—Ruth Meyers, nineteen years old, a guest at the Drovers hotel, East St. Louis, took bichloride of mercury tablets. It is said she is out of danger. At the hotel it was said she had registered from Davenport, Ia. "Kid" Star, a star boarder, is mentioned in the case, but resents the soft impeachment.

### Pays Big Price for Poor Show.

Taylorville, Ill., May 25.—Frank Minnigan is in the county jail, working out a fine of \$5 and costs, \$56, for disturbing the peace of the Evergreen school house near Morrisonville. The young man did not like the entertainment given at the last day of school exercises and his remarks led to his arrest.

### Campaign Against Apple Foe.

Champaign, Ill., May 25.—As a result of inquiries sent out by the University of Illinois, it was learned that aphids infesting the apple buds were appearing in increasing numbers throughout the state, and a campaign has been instituted against the marauder.

### Veteran and Wife Celebrate.

Kewanee, Ill., May 25.—Capt. and Mrs. L. G. Heaps, Henry county pioneers, celebrated their golden wedding here. They were married at the close of the civil war, when Captain Heaps came home on a four days' furlough from St. Louis.

Clinton Weiner returned yesterday from a visit in Amboy.

### CAILLAUX IN AUTO MISHAP

Former French Minister Hurt When Machine Overturns.

Le Mans, France, May 25.—Joseph Caillaux, ex-minister of finance, and Baron D'Estournelles de Constant were injured as a result of an automobile accident when the vehicle overturned.

M. Caillaux and Baron D'Estournelles were cut by broken glass. Mme. Caillaux escaped injury.

### Muncie, Ind., Lawyer Arrested.

Muncie, Ind., May 25.—Word has been received here that Thomas V. Miller, a Muncie attorney, was arrested in a colored gambling club in Denver, Colo. Miller left Muncie at the time the last grand jury was in session.

Harry Chinn of Beardstown was in Dixon today.

### New Way to Make Apple Dumplings

Served With Hard Sauce or Cream and Sugar

By Mrs. Janet McKenzie Hill, Editor of the Boston Cooking School Magazine

Here is a new way to make apple dumplings that will surely please every housewife, for it is not necessary to have whole apples, and the juice cannot run out and burn as with apple dumplings where the apple is placed in the center and the dough turned up around it. The biscuit part forms a crispy shell that holds the apples and juice.



**K C Apple Dumplings**  
One and one-half cups sifted flour; 1/2 teaspoonful salt; 3 level teaspoonfuls K C Baking Powder; 1/4 cup shortening; about 1/2 cup milk; apples.

Fill the cups of a buttered muffin pan with pared and sliced apples, sprinkle with salt and turn two or three tablespoonfuls of water into each cup. Sift together, three times, the flour, salt and baking powder; work in the shortening, and mix to a soft dough with the milk. Drop the dough from a spoon with the apples in the cups, giving it a smooth exterior. Let bake about twenty-five minutes. Invert the pan on a large serving-dish. Put a spoonful of hard sauce above the apple in each dumpling and finish with a grating of nutmeg.

This is only one of the many new, delicious and appetizing recipes contained in the K C Cook's Book, which may be obtained free by sending the colored certificate packed in every 25-cent can of K C Baking Powder to the Jacobs Bros. Co., Chicago. Be sure to get the 25-cent size—smaller cans do not contain Cook's Book certificates.

## Which Home Do You Like?

The home most people prefer—the one they really like to go to after the day's work—is the cheerfully lighted home.

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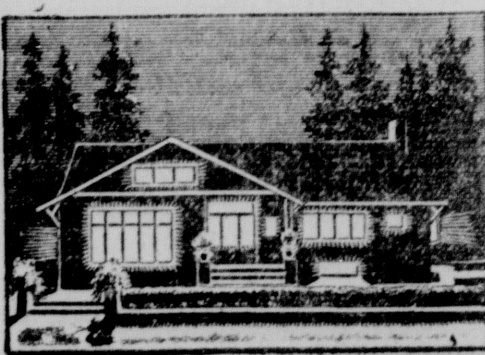
And you will find his prices reasonable, his work that of an expert who appreciates safety and neatness, and his knowledge of lighting helpful.

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Of the 1,000,000 Buggies sold in the United States last year, the factory making the CRESCENT Buggy for me, produced one-third of them. DON'T THAT Spell Popularity? Any one who will take the time to examine, compare, and price various buggies, will readily understand why this condition exists.

## Its Simply A Case Of Exercising Good Judgement

And for which the American people are famous. You may have made up your mind to buy some other make, but, I ask you to compare them in detail and then decide upon where

## You Get The Most For Your Money

I do not claim to sell Buggies at cost, but I DO claim to give more buggy for less money, and only ask a chance to prove it to you, as I have, to many others.

I urge those contemplating purchasing, to do so as early as possible, as I contracted last Fall when money was "tight" and having bought cheaper, I am going to sell even cheaper than last year.

All I ask is a Critical Comparison of the Goods and Prices.

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## PAGE AND PENFIELD

U. S. Ambassadors to Italy and Austria Act for Belligerents.



Photos by American Press Association.

## BERLIN SAYS RUSSIAN WARSHIP WENT DOWN

## Panteleimon Is Sunk in Black Sea; 1,400 Perish.

Berlin, May 25.—(By wireless to Sayville.)—The Overseas News agency gave out the following:

"According to a Bucharest dispatch, the Russian armored man of war, Panteleimon has been sunk, with 1,400 men in the Black Sea."

The foregoing evidently refers to the Russian battle ship Panteleimon. This warship, whose destruction is said to have caused the loss of 1,400 lives, is put down in naval reference books as having a complement of about 740 men. In times of war, however, this number might be increased considerably.

The Panteleimon was built in 1897. She was 378 feet long. Her displacement was 12,582 tons. She carried four 12-inch guns, sixteen 6-inch, four 3-inch, six 3-pounders and five torpedo tubes.

## BERLIN CLAIMS 2 VICTORIES

Official Statement Says Allies Lost in Drives Against German Lines.

Berlin, May 25.—Defeat for the allies, with extremely heavy losses in two distinct drives against the German lines in the last twenty-four hours, is reported in official dispatches.

Between Neuve Chapelle and Givenchy the British launched several attacks during the night. German machine guns raked the highways and the fields. The enemy retired, leaving the ground between the trenches strewn with dead and wounded. The French are making reckless attempts to capture the northern slopes of the Lorette hills. In the fighting here, near Ablain and south of Neuville the French losses have been exceptionally heavy.

## JUST MORE FEES. THAT'S ALL

Pere Marquette Is Ordered Sold Oct. 1 to Satisfy Claims.

Chicago, May 25.—The Pere Marquette railroad was ordered sold by decree of the federal district court in Detroit. The court ordered the sale to be made on Oct. 1. The terms will be announced June 1.

Claims against the company which have been entered in various legal actions and by investigations total about \$88,000,000. The order was entered on the petition of the underlying bondholders.

## Teutonic Envoy Leaves Vatican.

London, May 25.—The Reuter's Telegram company has received a dispatch from its correspondent at Madrid, who says the German and the Austro-Hungarian representatives at the Italian court and at the Vatican left Rome last night, having entrusted the interests of their countries to the Spanish ambassador in Rome.

## Austrians on Defensive Along Border.

Milan, May 25.—The Austrians are everywhere falling back from Trentino border and assuming the defensive. Dispatches received here say that during the night Austrian troops dynamited at least a score of bridges. All civilian traffic across the frontier has been halted.

Have the pantry shelves attractive. If you use white paper right from the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co. they will be. It's only a cent a sheet.

## No. 170, Series of 1914.

## FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that the Board of Local Improvements of the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, caused to be filed in the County Court of said County of Lee on the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1915, a certificate showing the final cost of constructing vitrified tile pipe sewer in Crawford Avenue in the City of Dixon, for sanitary purposes, under and in pursuance of City of Dixon Local Improvement Ordinance No. 170, Series of 1914, and the amount estimated by said Board to be required to meet the accruing interest on bonds and vouchers issued to anticipate the collection of the assessment for said work.

Said certificate also shows that said work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been duly accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown on said certificate are as follows:

963 linear feet of 8" sewer complete, at seventy-four (74) cents per linear foot .....	\$712.62
616 linear feet of 6" house connection laterals at thirty (30) cents per linear foot .....	184.80
2 manholes at thirty (30) dollars each .....	60.00
1 flushing tank at seventy (70) dollars .....	70.00
8.26 cubic yards of rock excavation, extra, at two and one-half (2.50) dollars per cubic yd. ....	21.55
Total cost of work .....	1048.97
Lawful expense .....	28.62

Total cost of improvement ..... \$1077.49 |

Public notice is further given that the court has set said certificate and any objections that may be filed therein for hearing at nine o'clock in the forenoon on Monday, the 14th day of June, A. D. 1915, or as soon thereafter as the business of the court will permit.

Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Any person interested may file objections before the time set for hearing and appear and show cause why said petition shall not be taken as true.

Dated this 24th day of May, A. D. 1915.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS.

BY MARK C. KELLER, ITS ATTORNEY. 122 5

## No. 172, Series of 1914.

## FINAL SPECIAL ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

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Said certificate also shows that said work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been duly accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown on said certificate are as follows:

521 linear feet of 8" sewer complete at sixty-four (64) cents per linear foot .....	\$333.44
206 linear feet of 6" house connection laterals at thirty (30) cents per linear foot .....	61.80
1 manhole at thirty-two (32) dollars .....	32.00
1 flushing tank at seventy (70) dollars .....	70.00
Total cost of work .....	496.24
Lawful expense .....	89.37
Total cost of improvement .....	585.61

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## SUFFRAGETTE INTRODUCES NEW FASHION IN NEW YORK



Miss Hilma Johnson

Miss Hilma Johnson, a pretty suffragette, found a new way of advertising "the cause" on Fifth avenue, New York, the other day. How well she succeeded may be realized from the fact that she had to be rescued from a crowd by policemen. She appeared in the fashionable crowd with a new veil bearing on the lower margin the words, "Votes for Women." A crowd collected—for it is very easy to gather a crowd in New York—and followed her until she was fearful of the results. Then the police interfered and got her out of the crush.

## GERMANS TOOK MILLIONS IN BOOTY

## TEXTILE INTERESTS OF FRANCE WERE HEAVY SUFFERERS OF INVASION.

Paris, May 3.—Correspondence of the Associated Press—Three hundred million dollars lost by the textile industries of northern France in raw material and manufactured products taken by the Germans as booty of war—that is the estimate given the Associated Press by an authorized member of the most influential textile corporation in France, and an authority on industrial subjects.

What the total loss, including damages to plant and to buildings, may amount to, there are no indications, for many rumors of the transferring of valuable machines to Germany have not been confirmed. The above estimate is based on the confirmed facts only. It more than bears out the estimate of the German publicist, Ludwig Ganghofer, who after a visit to the German front, told the Muenchener Neueste Nachrichten that the war booty sent from Northern France to Germany in the form of cereals, sugar, metals, wool, leather, etc. would amount to five hundred million dollars during the first six months of the war. It is supposed that his figures were based on the requisition price said to be very inferior to the market value. On the latter basis the actual total would be far in excess of the German figures; the estimate for the textile industries alone would so indicate.

It is known that the Germans took nearly all the raw material and finished goods in the woolen manufacturing centers of Le Coteau, Roubaix and Tourcoing, where America buys heavily of the finer woolen fabrics. They also emptied the linen factories with the exception of those at Arras, where they were driven back too soon, and at Lille, where they have recently begun to requisition these products.

The territory occupied by the Germans contains more than 80 per cent of the woolen and linen industries of France; the consequence is a shortage of all these products. The army is

seeking hundreds of thousands of yards of canvas for tents that these industries are unable to supply. Cotton, tried as a substitute, proved unsatisfactory.

According to this authority "the financial problem resulting from this state of things will require most serious study after the war. A commercial and industrial activity such as we have never seen will be witnessed in France, but the setting in motion again the industrial machinery will be attended with great difficulties. One manufacturer in the occupied territory has lost raw material and finished goods to the value of five million to ten million francs. The banks had advanced him a half million of francs. The security for that advance is gone. That man will say after the war: 'I am not played out. I want to put my industry on its feet again, but where will he find the means since he has already hanging over him a debt of half a million francs and the goods that secured it are in Germany? It is a serious problem, but it will surely be solved.'

"Another great difficulty is in the restoration of our plants, the replacing of our machines. Under existing conditions it seems likely that it will take two years for machine constructors to furnish what we shall require. Perhaps we shall have to call upon the American ingenuity to help us in working out the difficult problems, but they will be solved, for never was the spirit of our manufacturers and workers so strong as is exhibited today."

## DUTCH PROTEST ON WAR COST TO THEM

## HOD MEETING IN REGARD TO INCREASE DUE TO BIG WAR

The Hague, Netherlands, May 6.—Correspondence of the Associated Press—Popular dissatisfaction with the heavy burden war has imposed on neutral Holland is growing steadily, and finding almost daily expression, especially among the workers. Recently several meetings of working men and women, as well as the unemployed, have been held in leading Dutch industrial centers to protest against the high cost of living induced by the war.

In The Hague a meeting was held in the Concordia, a hall largely devoted to socialistic and labor gatherings. The hall was crowded. No police were present, though there were a large number within easy call in the street outside. The meeting was preceded by a parade of the unemployed through the quietest and most select residential quarters of The Hague, singing "The International" and distributing handbills calling upon all Hollanders to stand with the demonstrators in their fight against hunger in Holland. A large crowd gathered before the city hall, but was dispersed by the police.

The meeting was held under the auspices of a committee of agitators against the war consisting of representatives of The Hague Trade Council and allied bodies, the Social Democratic party, the Star Garment Workers' Union, The Hague Branch of the National Municipal Workers, The Hague Branch of the Industrial Workers of the World, and the General Trade Union Council. L. de Visser, a young labor leader, arraigned the present administration of the Netherlands in a speech in which Minister of Finance Treub came in for attack. The Minister's pledge made at the outbreak of the war that "there shall be no hunger in Holland" was recalled in connection with the rise of from 20 percent to 40 percent and even more in connection with the bare necessities of life, within the last eight months.

The meeting criticized the work of the National Relief Committee as being directed to aid the large employers of labor in the Netherlands to avoid increasing the wages of their employees. The demonstrators alleged that while taxes and the cost of living mounted constantly, wages remained stationary, and the Relief Committee was urged to stave off the logical economic crisis that ordinarily would result from such a condition, by succoring those families placed by it in immediate want. The workers further declared that they had already more than paid their share of the cost of the mobilization of the Dutch troops, in the increased prices they have been forced to pay for foodstuffs; and they protested vigorously against any general tax to cover military expenditures. They claimed that the large property owners and employers of labor in Holland who, they said, have been growing rich out of the war, should be forced to pay the full cost of mobilization through a special tax on incomes above a certain figure, and upon capital.

The demands of The Hague dem-

onstrators were formulated in six items for which the agitation committee pledged themselves to conduct a propaganda:

1. Productive work at normal wage and under normal conditions; or,
2. Full pay for those who have been mobilized and for the unemployed.
3. The national and municipal control of foodstuffs.
4. A moratorium (suspension of the payment of rent and taxes) prohibiting the dispossession of tenants by landlords.
5. Proper care of the sick and infirm.
6. Payment of the cost of the above as well as of the mobilization, by a special tax on capital and on high incomes.

To these, the meeting added a protest against the war and against the mobilization in Holland.

There is no doubt that the presence of thousands of unemployed Belgian refugees in the Netherlands has produced an acute industrial situation. As many of these are ardent socialists, the situation is not devoid of possible political aspects in Holland, where the socialists are not very strong.

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Said certificate also shows that said work has been done and completed by the contractor doing the work in substantial conformity to the requirements of said ordinance and has been duly accepted by said Board.

The final cost of said improvement and the amount estimated for interest as shown on said certificate are as follows:

720 linear feet of 10" sewer at seventy-six (76) cents per linear foot .....	\$547.20
243.3 linear feet of 8" sewer at sixty (60) cents per linear foot .....	145.98
3 manholes at thirty-three (33) dollars each .....	99.00
3 catch basins at twenty-six (26) dollars each .....	78.00
666 linear feet of 6" house connection laterals at thirty (30) cents per linear foot .....	199.80
Total cost of work .....	\$1069.98
Lawful expense .....	5.79

Total cost of improvement ..... \$1075.77 |

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Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room in the Court House in the City of Dixon, County of Lee and State of Illinois.

Any person interested may file objections before the time set for hearing and appear and show cause why said petition shall not be taken as true.

Dated this 25th day of May, A. D. 1915.

BOARD OF LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS OF THE CITY OF DIXON, ILLINOIS.

BY MARK C. KELLER, ITS ATTORNEY. 123 5

## WEST BROOKLYN

Majors Tourtellot of Dixon was calling upon friends and acquaintances in West Brooklyn on Saturday morning.

L. F. Rees and a party of friends from Steward were visitors here Wednesday.

W. A. Mireley was in West Brooklyn transacting business on Saturday morning.

W. J. Long and the corps of school

## What Is the Best Remedy For Constipation?

This is a question asked us many times each day. The answer is

**Peppermint Orderlies**

We guarantee them to be satisfactory to you. Sold only by us, 10 cents.

C. M. Campbell & Son.

teachers motored to Amboy Thursday evening in his Buick car.

Paul Halbmaier was a business visitor in West Brooklyn on Saturday forenoon.

Miss Kathryn Long has returned to her home in Harmon after visiting for a few days with friends and relatives in West Brooklyn.

Prof. Francis J. Morrissey was a visitor in Dixon Tuesday.

George J. Montavon was in town from Lee Center township on Saturday.

Wm. Callahan and John Honeycutt of Amboy were visitors in West Brooklyn Friday afternoon.

John Haub of Lee Center township was in town transacting business Friday.

Charles Barnickel was in town on last Saturday forenoon from South Brooklyn.

A. B. McCrea motored to Amboy on Saturday on business.

Louis Hoerner has purchased a new Ford touring car of Edward Henry. Mr. Henry also sold a car to Dave Somerville this week.

George Halboth was a visitor here Saturday.

Henry F. Gehant was a visitor in Amboy Saturday morning.

Chris Zimmerlein has completed the digging of a new deep well on his farm.

W. A. Halbmaier has sold his farm near Tampico in Whiteside county and purchased the farm where he resides west of town of his father.

W. T. Harrison of Dixon was a business visitor in West Brooklyn on Saturday.

Laurent Gehant was in West Brooklyn on Saturday morning transacting business.

H. H. Danekas was in Mendota this week hauling machinery from the Tower factory to the implement store of F. D. Gehant & Son.

P. J. Sondgeroth was a business

visitor in West Brooklyn on Friday afternoon.

Frank Smith of Mendota motored to West Brooklyn on last Friday afternoon.

Assessor John Schmidt of Weiland was in town on official duties on Saturday.

## DAUGHTER BORN

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Welker of southeast of Nelson Sunday.

Mrs. Jacob Brenner was called to Glasgowl, a. Saturday by the illness of her brother, Adam Adams.

## HAIR IS TURNING GRAY, USE SAGE TEA

Don't look old! Try Grandmother's recipe to darken and beautify faded, lifeless hair.

That beautiful, even shade of dark, glossy hair can only be had by brewing a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray, streaked and looks dry, wispy and scraggly, just an application or two of Sage and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold.

Don't bother to prepare the tonic; you can get from any drug store a 50 cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy," ready to use. This can always be depended upon to bring back the natural color, thickness and lustre of your hair and remove dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair.

Everybody uses "Wyeth's" Sage and Sulphur because it darkens so naturally and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied. You simply dampen a sponge or soft brush with it and draw this through the hair, taking one small strand at a time; by morning the gray hair has disappeared, and after another application it becomes beautifully dark and appears glossy, lustrous and abundant.

## SEE THE SPRING STYLES IN MEN'S HATS SEE THE HATS FOR \$1.00

New Neckwear, Elgin Shirts, Hosiery, Trunks, and Suit Cases. Suits & Overcoats made-to-order \$15 up. Coat & Pants \$13.50 up

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Modern Equipment for handling all Men's and Women's clothing

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Beier Block

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Stop at the Simon Baths and secure an immaculately clean, white cabin bedroom, free with each Turkish or other Health Bath.

All stag hotel conveniences—smoking and lounging rooms, barbers, chiropodist, tailor, restaurant, free gymnasium.

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Ask to see the hundreds of letters of endorsements from Judges, Bank Presidents, Merchants, etc.

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73 West Randolph Street, Chicago Between Clark and Dearborn

## A Large Shipment for the Spring Trade has Arrived

The Famous Ladies Shoe---FORD'S \$3 Special

The Best Shoe sold in Dixon for the money. We have handled this shoe for 25 years; up to the minute in style. In Bloucher, Button, Lace, Goodyear Welts, Hundturned, Gypsy Cut, Nurse. In high and low heel, Cloth Tops. "A" to "EE"

## Ford's Cash Shoe Store

110 E. FIRST STREET



## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

MAN WANTS BUT LITTLE HERE BELOW  
THAT HE CANNOT GET BY ADVERTISING

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DIXON REALTY COMPANY  
DIXON, ILLINOIS

Insurance Real Estate Loans

## WANTED

WANTED. Highest market price paid for all kinds of junk, old iron, rags, rubber, metal, also hides and wool. Trading direct with us means more money for your goods. Call 413 for your orders. S. Rubenstein, 114-118 River St., Dixon.

WANTED. Woodwork of all kinds, furniture repairing, remodeling and building new furniture, interior woodwork, stair building, pattern making, lawn mower and tool sharpening and saw filing, screen doors and windows built to any size, at 213 East First street. O. Selgestad & Son, 2 doors east of Hotel Bishop. Phone 737. 41tf

WANTED—Learn barber trade and quit worrying about hard times. Barbers are never out of employment. Write for catalogue. Tri-City Barber College, Davenport, Ia. 06124

WANTED. Everyone in Dixon to bring their shoes to me for repairing. Once a customer, always a customer. Workmanship and material the best. Full line foot easers, polish, shoe strings and soles. H. Beckingham, 108 Hennepin Ave. 16tf

WANTED—Work by the day, sweeping and cleaning. Call Mrs. Mary Schmidt, 524 East Third street. 27tf

WANTED—Have your wall paper cleaned and made as good as new. I can do it and guarantee it; give me a trial, also let me do your painting. Floyd Ankeny, telephone 15, Leake's drug store. 37tf

WANTED—Your order for rugs to be made from old carpet. H. Squier, Agt. for Elgin Rug Co. Phone 14269, Dixon, Ill. 703mo

WANTED—Housework—or cleaning by the hour, also plain sewing. Mrs. J. L. Hartman, Phone 13973. 83tf

WANTED—To rent—Moderate sized furnished house or furnished rooms for house keeping. Address E—this office. 86tf

WANTED to Rent: House with small garden or a small flat. Location no object. Wanted about May 15. Reliable party. Address L. B., care this office. 104tf

WANT man of business notions with \$700.00 secured. Coffee roasting and tea business. Salary \$85.00 then 30% profit. Get Commercial report on this. Sanitary Coffee Co., Seattle, Wash. 110tf

DON'T use your old corn plow shovels when you can buy new ones as cheap as you can. Get your old ones pointed, \$2.50 per set of six; fit any round shank. Buy them in. Worley & Close Blacksmith shop, 87 Pecora Ave., Dixon. Horseshoeing and woodwork. Repairing of all kinds. Plow work. Tire setting. 110mo1

WANTED. Women to make dust caps. Will buy entire output. Big profits. No canvassing. Material furnished any distance. Pleasant, steady employment. Stamp for reply. Union Mfg. and Supply Co., Kokomo, Ind. 114ml

WANTED. Good girl for waiting on table and helping otherwise. Good wages. Santone Hotel, Phone 860. 1206

WANTED. Furnished rooms for light housekeeping, by couple. Address M. P. Black, care Telegraph office. 1216\*

WANTED: A young man who would like to travel this summer. Will require a small capital, good chance to make money. Address "Traveling", this office. 12123\*

WANTED. Second hand bicycle for boy or girl. Phone 726. 1203

Mrs. J. D. Missman entertained her sister, Mrs. Lillie Vogel of Ashton, Saturday.

HOUSE FOR SALE  
VERY CHEAP

6 rooms and large hall on one side of it; 5 rooms and large hall on other; 2 cellars cisterns and woodsheds. Lot 100x75, near postoffice. 315 East 5th St. Gas, city water and cement walks. Renting for \$16 a month. My price is \$1475. Long time, easy payments. The rent from one side is now paying 6% interest on the price asked.

Geo. C. Loveland

FOR SALE. Several lots, bargains, in Dement's add. Phone 783. Mrs. G. H. Squires, 519 E. 2nd St. 117tf

FOR SALE—Easy payments. A 9-room house, lot 120 foot front and 150 feet deep. Furnace, fruit trees and grapes. Close to street car line, four blocks from one school and five blocks from another. Inquire at this office. 67tf

FOR SALE. Cycle car., Scripps Booth. Brand new tires and in first class running order. For information write to Elbert Davison, Polo, Ill. 1213\*

FOR SALE. Flying Merkle motorcycle, 1914 model, at a bargain. Telephone 1016. Call 921 First St. 1213\*

FOR SALE. Five passenger 40-horse power Overland car in first class condition. Will sell cheap if taken at once. Telephone 14747 or call at 705 W. Second St. 1213\*

FOR SALE. Blue Park Home. Eight room modern house, lot 100x150. Brick paved street; sewer, gas, electricity, city water, new heating apparatus with Rheostat, bath room and a sleeping porch. House in first class condition; choice location, in preferred residence district, yet close to business center. Price on application. Will exchange, smaller house or vacant property. E. C. Parsons, 523 Everett St. Phone 13479. 62tf

FOR SALE. Handsome electric dome for dining room; very reasonable. Mrs. H. T. Noble, 204 Dement Ave. Phone 12837. 65tf

FOR SALE. Northwest Missouri corn, clover and blue-grass farms. Best all-round farming country in the world. State soil map free. Bazel J. Meek Land Co., Chillicothe, Mo. 97tf

FOR SALE. Why pay rent? Would you like to have a farm home of your own in Ill. settlement, a farm that will produce corn, alfalfa, clover, blue grass, in a good livestock country with fine roads, telephones, mail delivery, churches and schools? Land from \$35 to \$55 per acre. Some farms have modern homes with all conveniences. See N. A. Cortright or J. M. Moline or drop a card to Room 28, Dixon National Bank Bldg. 67tf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acre tract irrigated land near Brighton, Colo. Address Mrs. Lillian Morse, Dixon, Ill. 11tf

FOR SALE. 7 room house with lot 50x150. One block from Catholic church, near Grand Detour factory and both depots. Short walk from town. Telephone 914. 80tf

FOR SALE. North side lots, in Parsons' Addition, fronting on Fellows, Chamberlain, May streets and Squires Avenue. Prices \$250 to \$750. Cash or easy payments. In E. C. Parsons' Black Hawk Park Addition, fronting on Rock river, Upman and Boyd Streets. Prices \$150 to \$300. Cash or installments. E. C. Parsons, 523 Everett St. Phone 13479. 62tf

FOR SALE. Fine building lots 40x150 and one 70x150. W. 2nd St., between Highland and Madison Aves. Brick paving, gas, water, sewer. Enquire Mrs. Cora M. Kaylor, 812 W. First St. 97tf

FOR SALE. A good second hand bicycle in good condition. Enquire of 622 Ottawa Ave. 1193

FOR SALE: 100 bushels of late potatoes; also One-Minute Washer, positively as good as new, for \$5.00. Phone 2220. Walter Brauer, R. No. 7. 1196

FOR SALE. Girl's bicycle, good as new. Mrs. Asher, 1308 W. Sixth St. 1213

FOR SALE. Some bargains in North Dakota land. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, Cavalier Co., N. Dak. 78tf

FREE TRIP  
If we don't show better soil and better farm bargains than can be found elsewhere will pay your fare and we pay it if you buy.

\$200 PER ACRE CASH WITH balance, and interest on improved 160 acres from Hogs and 5 sows each year.

COME WHERE  
Farmers make money faster than any other place in the United States.

Will give you 160-acre farm if you find three renters elsewhere who, starting with nothing, went so much in debt, have made as much as one renter here in the same time.

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## MARKETS

Local prices paid for grain:

	Mixed White
Corn	68 69
Oats	48 49

Local Produce Quotations.

	Pay	Sell
Chickens	17	21
Creamery butter	32	32
Eggs	17	22
Dairy butter	23	28
Lard	11	15
Potatoes	60	70
New potatoes, peck	65	65

LOCAL MILK PRICES.

Test	Per 100 lbs
3.0	\$1.05
3.1	1.08
3.2	1.11
3.3	1.14
3.4	1.17
3.5	1.20
3.6	1.23
3.7	1.26
3.8	1.29
3.9	1.32
4.0	1.35
4.1	1.38
4.2	1.41

## PRESIDENT DEMANDS SHIPS

Tells Pan-American Conference Government May Enter Field.

Washington, May 25.—President Wilson has served notice that unless private capital provides more adequate transportation facilities for the commerce of the United States with the other countries of this hemisphere the government will enter the shipping field. His statement was made in the course of an address of welcome to delegates to the Pan-American financial conference and was regarded as a definite indication of the administration to press for the passage of the ship purchase bill again at the next session of congress.

Next to the president's speech the most significant utterance was that of Frank A. Vanderbilt, president of the National City Bank of New York, who predicted for the United States a period of great expansion in loans to other governments, especially South America.

## WHITMAN NAMES LABOR MEN

John Mitchell and J. M. Lynch on New York Industrial Commission.

Albany, N. Y., May 25.—Both John Mitchell and James M. Lynch were appointed by Governor Whitman as members of the state industrial commission, which supersedes the workmen's compensation commission and the state labor department.

Mr. Mitchell was named as chairman of the commission.

## THE MARKETS

Chicago Cash Grain Quotations.  
Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.54 1/2; No. 3 red, \$1.53 1/2; No. 2 hard winter, \$1.54 1/2; No. 3 hard winter, \$1.53 1/2; Corn—No. 2 mixed, 75 1/2; No. 3 mixed, 74 1/2; No. 4 mixed, 74 1/2; No. 2 white, 75 1/2; No. 3 white, 74 1/2; No. 4 white, 74 1/2; Oats—No. 2 white, 52 1/2; No. 3 white, 52 1/2; No. 4 white, 51 1/2; standard, 52 1/2.

Chicago Live Stock.  
Hogs—Receipts 14,000. Quotations ranged at \$7.00 to \$7.25. Light shippers, \$7.00 to \$7.25; heavy packing and \$6.75 to \$7.00 to fancy pigs.  
Cattle—Receipts 18,000. Quotations ranged at \$8.00 to \$8.25. Good to choice steers, \$8.15 to \$8.25; good to choice beef cows, \$7.40 to \$7.60; good to choice feed calves, \$6.75 to \$7.00; to choice veal calves, \$8.25 to \$8.50.

Sheep—Receipts 10,000. Quotations ranged at \$9.75 to \$10.25. Good to choice lambs, \$9.75 to \$10.00; good to choice wethers, \$8.25 to \$8.50; to choice handy ewes, \$8.25 to \$8.50.

Butter.  
Extra, 27 1/2; extra firsts, 26 1/2; firsts, 24 1/2; seconds, 23 1/2.

East Buffalo Live Stock.  
Dunlop and Stevens, live stock commission merchants, East Buffalo, N. Y., quote as follows: Cattle—Receipts 150 cars; market slow. Hogs—Receipts 50 cars; market slow. Pigs, \$7.00 to \$7.25. Sheep—Receipts 20 cars; market slow. Top lambs, \$10.75 to \$11.00; yearlings, \$8.75 to \$9.00; calves, \$5.00 to \$5.25; ewes, \$5.00 to \$5.25.

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Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.

Local Express, Dly ex Sun 7:15 a. m.

123 Southern Exp. 11:10 a. m.

121 Clinton Exp. 5:10 p. m.

North Bound.

132 Waterloo Exp. 10:06 a. m.

120 Local Mail 5:10 p. m.

120 Local Exp. 8:19 p. m.

Freight Freight 12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago

6 3:23 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 p. m.

28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun 10:30 a. m.

18 8:05 a. m. 11:00 a. m.

10 10:49 a. m. dly 1:30 p. m.

20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:25 p. m.

4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

100 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.

12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon

5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:20 a. m.

9 7:10 a. m. Sun only 10:23 a. m.

13 10:30 a. m. 1:05 p. m.

19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun 3:34 p. m.

27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:26 p. m.

11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.

17 9:31 p. m. 11:53 p. m.

47 10:02 p. m. 12:28 a. m.

3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

No. Lv. Dixon Ar. Peoria

841 8:35 Peoria Pas 12:05 p. m.

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INTERURBAN LINE.

Correct time of the departure of cars on the S. D. & E. E. Ry., in effect on February 1, 1915:

Lv. Dixon Lv. Sterling

5:45 6:45

7:30 8:15

9:00 9:45

10:30 11:15

12:01 12:01

1:00 1:00

2:00 2:00

3:00 3:00

4:00 4:00

5:00 5:00

6:00 6:00

7:00 7:00

8:00 8:00

9:00 9:45

10:45 11:30

TIME MAILS CLOSES

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mail forwarded from the Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the office ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to assure its dispatch.

East Mail.

Train No. 6 3:00 a. m.

Train No. 28 6:55 a. m.

Train No. 20 10:40 a. m.

Train No. 4 3:55 p. m.

Train No. 12 5:40 p. m.

West Mail.

Train No. 5 9:40 a. m.

Train No. 13 12:40 p. m.

Train No. 27 7:00 p. m.

Train No. 9 8:20 p. m.

Train No. 15 1:30 a. m.

South Mail.

Train No. 119 6:55 a. m.

Train No. 123 10:40 a. m.

Train No. 121 4:50 p. m.

North Mail.

Train No. 132 9:40 a. m.

Train No. 120 7:55 p. m.

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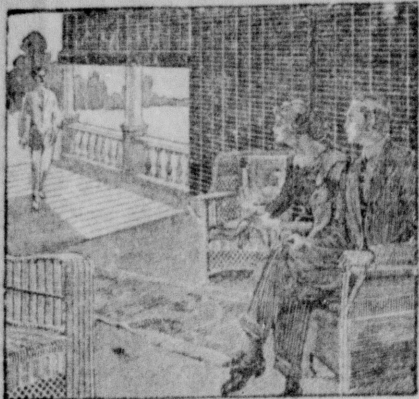
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Chicago, May 25.—John Kosnik,  
alias John Kritzy, who was arrested  
in Joliet, Ill., in March by federal se-  
cret service agents from the Chicago  
office on a charge of passing counter-  
feit money, was sentenced by Judge  
Landis in the United States District  
court to serve seven years in the fed-  
eral prison at Leavenworth, Kas.  
Kosnik pleaded guilty to the charge,  
but declared he did not know the  
man from whom he received the bo-  
gus dollars which he passed.

Judge Landis has postponed sen-  
tence of Kosnik four times to allow  
him a chance to inform the court as  
to the source of the counterfeit  
money. Kosnik refused to divulge  
anything further than that he met an  
Italian on the west side one day last  
February and that the Italian gave  
him fifty counterfeit dollars, instruct-  
ing him to go to Joliet to pass them.

**EDUCATOR ENTERS BUSINESS**

Principal Helm of Evanston Academy  
Joins Clothing House.

Evanston, Ill., May 25.—Willbur  
Helm, principal of the Evanston acad-  
emy, will not be found on the faculty  
of Northwestern university next year  
as was planned when he resigned as  
head of the north shore academy. He  
will be found in a large Chicago cloth-  
ing house wrestling with the problems  
of the middleman.

The department was created for  
Mr. Helm. To him customers will be  
invited to appeal for advice on busi-  
ness matters. He will take office as  
an executive of the concern July 1.

Judge—Then when your wife seized  
the weapon you ran out of the  
house.

Plaintiff—Yes, sir.  
Judge—But she might not have  
used it.

Plaintiff—True, your honor. May  
be she picked up the flatiron just to  
smooth things over.—Transcript.

"Pop, how do the people in the  
Weather Bureau find out what kind

**OAK RIDGE NEWS**

Leonard Law of Chicago is spend-  
ing several days at the Walter F.  
Mumma-home and with other rela-  
tives.

Charles Hoy has closed his school  
after a very successful year's work.  
Charles Pyfer and family were in  
Dixon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Kleibe attended  
the dance in Oregon last Friday even-  
ing.

Many from the Ridge will attend  
the carnival at Dixon this week.

The roads in this vicinity are be-  
ing graded and put in much better  
condition.

Miss Myra Young is spending the  
week in Dixon visiting with friends  
and relatives.

Graduation exercises for the pupils  
of Grand Detour and Hickory Ridge  
schools will be held in the Illini Hall  
at Grand Detour Friday, May 28th.  
Dr. Warren of Elmira, N. Y., will de-  
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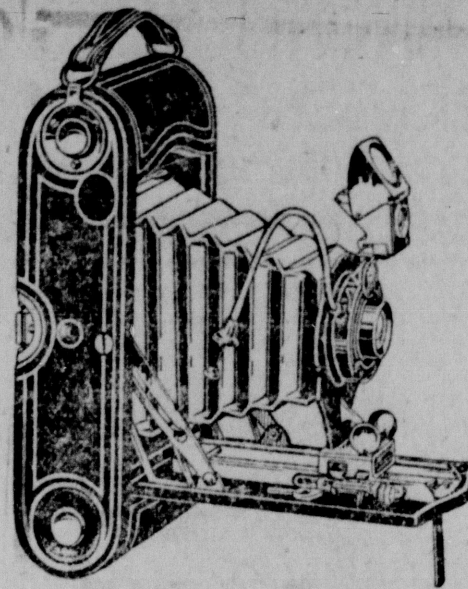
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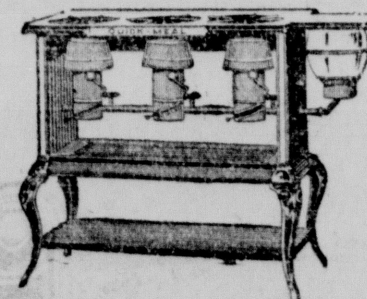
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